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TRIMBLE—In proud and undying memory of my beloved son, Noel Desmond Trimble, killed at Halluch, April 29th, 1916, aged 20 years. "Dearest, thou art enshrined in all thy fragrance in our memories."—Mother.

BIRTHS.

KINCH—April 23, 1923, at Ballygahan, Ovoca, to Kathleen, wife of Matthew Kinch, a daughter.

McGANN—April 22, 1923, at No. 2 Greenpark Villas, Ballinacurra, Limerick, to Mr. and Mrs. B. McGann, junior, a daughter.

SOMERS—April 23, 1923, at 87 Lower Baggot st., the wife of Harold E. Somers, No. 2 North Earl st., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

CLARKE and HENNESSEY—April 26, 1923, at St. Mary's Church, Athlone, by the Rev. J. H. Rice, Herbert, son of Mrs. Clarke, Newton Heath, Manchester, to Eileen Esther, eldest daughter of the late Mr. D. H. Hennessey and Mrs. Hennessey, Auburn tce., Athlone.

CORKERY and LINDSAY—April 24, 1923, at St. Mary Boltons, Kensington, by the Bishop of Cashel, assisted by Rev. E. J. Austin, Vicar, Captain E. D. Corkery, M.C., the Devonshire Regiment, to D. Lindsay Lindsay, widow of Major Claud Lindsay, R.F.A., and elder daughter of Sir Henry and Lady Forde, The Manor of St. John, Waterford.

DAUNT and SHEARER—April 25, 1923, at St. Nicholas' Church, Cork, by Rev. G. Howe Daunt (uncle of the bridegroom), assisted by Rev. V. W. Darling, M.A., John Willis Daunt, L.D.S.I., second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Daunt, "Valebrook," Cork, to Josephine Hart, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shearer, 151 University st., Belfast. No cards.

DUNNE and O'CONNOR—April 23, 1923, at St. Joseph's, Terenure, by Very Rev. J. Healy, P.P., M. Stuart Dunne, eldest son of Robert and late Mrs. Dunne, Grafton rd., Finsbury, London, to Frances, elder daughter of late William O'Connor and of Mrs. O'Connor, 66 Brighton rd., Terenure, Dublin.

HIRSCHMANN and O'CALLAGHAN—April 25, 1923, at the Holy Rosary Church, Ballynafeigh, Belfast, by the Very Reverend B. J. Laverty, P.P., V.F., assisted by Rev. James King, B.A., Dean of Residence, Queen's University, and Rev. J. A. McLaverty, C.C., Joseph J. Hirschmann, M.A., M.B., Ch.B. (T.C.D.), to Margaret Mary (Molly) O'Callaghan, only daughter of J. P. and Mrs. O'Callaghan, 483 Ormeau rd., Belfast.

MARMION and MOLONY—April 25, 1923, at the University Church, Dublin, by the Rev. J. Whitaker, S.J., Mathew Cordier Marmion, F.R.C.S.I., Dungannon, to Josephine, youngest daughter of the late Daniel Molony, F.R.C.S.I., Cashel, Co. Tipperary.

SANSOM and PRIMROSE—April 26, 1923, at Malone (Belfast) Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. William Magee, B.A., assisted by the Rev. J. G. Paton, M.A., B.D., Malone, and the Rev. A. Gibson, M.A., B.D., Lurgan, William Hart, eldest son of William Sansom, The Crescent, Blackrock, Co. Louth, to Anna Elizabeth Maud (Daisy), only daughter of the late Robert Primrose, Primrose Hill, Cootehill, and Mrs. Magee, Corlea Manse, Ballybay.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

BONE—April 29, 1923, at 2 Annesley place, North Strand, Annie, beloved wife of Edwin T. Bone. Deeply and deservedly regretted by her sorrowing husband, sons and daughters, grandchildren, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral from above address to-morrow (Tuesday) morning to Glasnevin at 10.30.

BOOTH—April 29, 1923, at his residence, Jaipuri, Glenageary, Robert Bell Booth, M.I.C.E., last surviving son of the late Rev. Richard Bell Booth, of Kilskyre, Co. Meath, aged 80. Service at St. Paul's, Glenageary, 10.30 a.m., on Wednesday. Interment (private), Dean's Grange.

BRADY—April 26, 1923, accidentally killed by train at Londonderry, Bridget Brady, late of Baggot st., Dublin. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing sisters, brothers, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral from the Church of the Visitation, Fairview, after Requiem Mass, at 10 o'clock, this (Monday) morning to Glasnevin.

COPITHORNE—April 24, 1923, Louisa (Lulu) Elizabeth Kate, dearly-beloved elder daughter of the late Thomas Copithorne, of Skibbereen, and Mrs. Copithorne, 17 Bank st., Castletown, Isle of Man. "She hath done what she could."

COSTELLOE—April 27, 1923, at his residence, Tullamaine, Fethard, Tipperary, John Costelloe. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. Interment at Cashel.

DOLAN—April 29, 1923, at her residence, Belgrove, Clontarf, Dublin, Alice, beloved wife of Dominick Dolan. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family. R.I.P. Mass, at 9 o'clock, to-morrow (Tuesday), the 1st May, at the Church of St. John the Bap[illegible], Clontarf. Funeral private. No flowers.

GILLMAN—April 27, 1923, at 68 Upper Leeson st., Dublin, Lily M. Gillman. Funeral private.

GINNELL—The remains of the late Laurence Ginnell, T.D., will arrive at Westland Row at 6 p.m. to-day (Monday), April 30th, and be taken to the Carmelite Church, Aungier st. On the following day, May 1st, the funeral will take place, after Requiem Mass, 10.30 o'clock, to the family burial ground, Clonarney, Delvin, Co. Westmeath, by motor (via Kinnegad and Coralstown), reaching Clonarney about 2 o'clock. R.I.P.

MEREDITH—April 28, 1923, at her residence, [illegible]0 South Parade, Waterford, Sarah, wife of Mr. E. [illegible]eredith, senior. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), at [illegible] o'clock, to Cemetery, John's Hill, Waterford.

MORAN—April 28, 1923, at 11 Dartmouth [illegible]are, Elizabeth Jane, the beloved wife of Norbert [illegible]is Moran. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

[illegible]ICHOLL—April 26, 1923, at his residence, [illegible]a Lodge, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, Thomas J. [illegible]oll, of 9 Great Brunswick st., the beloved [illegible] of Margaret S. Nicholl. "For ever with [illegible]ord." Funeral this (Monday) morning, 10.30, [illegible]an's Grange.

[illegible]YAN—April 29, 1923, at his residence, Logan[illegible] Thomastown, James Ryan, Merchant and [illegible]neer, to the inexpressible grief of his sorrow[illegible] wife and young family. Funeral to-morrow ([illegible]day) to the family burial ground, after Office [illegible]igh Mass, at 10.30 o'clock (old time), in the [illegible] Church.

[illegible]TH—April 29, 1923, at his residence, Arramore, Cavan, after short illness, Louis Cornelius Patrick Smith, Solicitor, fourth son of the late Philip Smith, J.P., Kevitt Castle, Crossdoney, aged [illegible]5 years. Funeral at Ballinagh, from Cathedral, [illegible]avan, at 2 o'clock, to-morrow (Tuesday).

[illegible]TOKES—April 27, 1923, at Monondree, Mountmellick, Augusta Sarah, widow of Arthur Percy Stokes. Burial took place yesterday (Sunday).

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The family of the late **Mrs. Jones**, School House, Seafield rd., Clontarf, desire to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

LECKEY—In sad and ever-loving memory of our dear dad, who departed this life 29th April, 1921, at his residence, Eastley Cottage, Mallow. "Resting in the Lord."

POWELL—In loving memory of Cherry (née Spaight), who passed on with her little son, at Kamloops, B.C., April 30th, 1922.—D.

WHEELER—Second Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of George Wheeler, Solicitor, of 100 St. Lawrence rd., Clontarf, who died on 29th April, 1921. Inserted by his wife and children.

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Of the above Institution will be held on MONDAY, the 30th APRIL, 1923, at the Offices, 40 MOLESWORTH STREET, DUBLIN,
At 4.30 p.m.,
The Committee will be glad to see any friends who are interested in the work of the Institution.
The Chair will be taken by
SIR MAURICE DOCKRELL, D.L., J.P.
BUSINESS—To present Reports from Committee and Medical Superintendent, with Statement of Accounts for year ending 31st December, 1922.

CITY OF DUBLIN Y.M.C.A.,
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SPECIAL CONVENTION MEETINGS
(For the Deepening of the Spiritual Life),
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30th April, 1923.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ELEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of above society will be held in the Mission Hall, Townsend street, Dublin, on THURSDAY, 31st MAY, 1923, at 8 p.m.
AGENDA.—Report. Statement of Accounts. Notice of Motion re change of name. Election of Officers and Committee. General Business.
By Order of the Committee of Management,
RICHARD J. BOWEN,
Secretary.

IRISH CLERGY DAUGHTERS' SCHOOL.
ELECTION OF PUPILS.
The Committee offer a few Vacancies for the Election to be held on Friday, May 18th. Applications must be returned before Saturday, May 12th. Forms of application will be sent by the Secretary, 12 Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, when requested.

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COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES (IRELAND) ACTS, 1890 to 1921,
AND
HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES (IRELAND) ACT, 1890—PART III.
AND THE ACTS INCORPORATED THEREWITH.
MARINO AND CROYDON PARK AREA IMPROVEMENT SCHEME.

Pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, and of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of Dublin, acting by the Town Council, being the Urban Sanitary and Local Authority of the City of Dublin, hereby advertise and give notice that they require, and are desirous of acquiring by purchase, under the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts and Acts incorporated therewith, and propose to take compulsorily the several denominations and quantities of lands and premises in the Schedule hereto annexed, mentioned and described (part of which said premises are situate in the Parish of Clontark, Townland of Marino, and part in the Parish of Clontark, Townland of Ballybough) and City of Dublin for the purpose of erecting thereon buildings suitable for lodging houses for the working classes, and that they will apply to the Minister for Local Government for a Provisional Order to enable them to do so.

A Plan of the proposed undertaking may be inspected at all reasonable times during office hours at the Town Clerk's Office, Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street, Dublin.

By Order,
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk, Dublin.
Dated 18th day of April, 1923.
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SCHEDULE above referred to, showing the Denominations and Quantities of Land required.

No. on Plan.	Denomination. Description of Property.	Quantities of Land (Statute Measure). A.	R.	P.
1.	Phillipsburgh avenue—Portion of the Lands attached to Saint Mary's College	34	3	30½
2.	Phillipsburgh avenue—Portion of the Lands attached to Saint Mary's College	11	0	37
2a	Phillipsburgh avenue—Portion of the Lands attached to Saint Mary's College	0	0	18½
3.	Fairview—Portion of the Lands attached to Christian Brothers' Schools	0	2	24
4.	Fairview—Portion of the Lands attached to Christian Brothers' Schools (containing heating chambers and lavatories)	0	0	14½
5.	Fairview — Portion of Lands attached to Christian Brothers' Schools	0	0	6½
6.	Merville House, Merville avenue—Portion of the Grounds of "Merville House," containing front and rear gardens, piggery, coachhouse, stable and yard, and glass porch in front garden	1	3	10½
7.	Merville avenue—Portion of roadway	0	0	7½
8.	Merville avenue—Portion of roadway	0	0	12
9	Merville avenue—Portion of roadway	0	0	12
10.	5 Merville avenue—Dwellinghouse, yard, garden, and out-office	0	0	5½
11.	6 Merville avenue—Dwellinghouse, yard, garden, and out-offices	0	0	5½
12.	7 Merville avenue (Modena Cottage)—Dwellinghouse, yard, garden, and out-offices	0	0	16½
13.	Tokay, Fairview—Portion of the Lands attached to "Tokay" (tilled)	1	1	34½
14.	Croydon Park Fairview—Gate Lodge to Croydon Park House	0	0	1½
15.	Croydon Park—Plot of Ground laid out in Allotments (Portion of Croydon Park)	[illegible]	1	12
16.	Croydon Park—Portion of Private Avenue to Croydon Park House.	1	0	6½
17.	Croydon Park—Portion of Private Avenue to Croydon Park House.	0	1	13½
18.	Croydon Park—Plot of Ground laid out in Allotments (Portion of Croydon Park)	5	1	26
19.	Croydon Park—Portion of Private Avenue to Croydon Park House.	0	2	22½
20.	Croydon Park—Plot of Ground laid out in Allotments (Portion of Croydon Park)	3	0	17½
21.	Croydon Park — Croydon Park House:—Dwellinghouse, Orchard, Garden, Dairy Yard, Stables, Stable Yard, and Out-offices	0	3	28
22.	Croydon Park—Plot of Ground laid out in Allotments (Portion of Croydon Park)	4	3	9
23.	Philipsburgh avenue—Small Plot of ground, with ruins (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments).	0	1	14
24.	Philipsburgh avenue—Small Plot of Ground (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments)	0	0	24
25	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of Ground (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments)	1	1	4½
26.	Philipsburgh avenue—Portion of the garden attached to "Woodlands."	0	0	20½
27.	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of Ground (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments)	5	2	6½
28.	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of Ground (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments)	1	1	8
29.	Philipsburgh avenue — Dwellinghouse and Out-offices (Gatelodge)	0	0	2½
30.	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of Ground (Portion of Land laid out in Allotments)	1	0	10
31.	Philipsburgh avenue—Portion of garden attached to "Woodlands."	0	0	2½
32	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of Ground laid out in allotments....	5	0	15
33.	Philipsburgh avenue—Tennis Courts and Recreation Grounds (Portion of the Grounds attached to No. 30 Philipsburgh avenue)	1	3	34
34.	Philipsburgh avenue—Tennis Court (Portion of C.Y.M.S. Club grounds, formerly portion of Father Mathew Park)	0	2	13½
35.	Philipsburgh avenue — Plot of ground (portion tilled), containing shed and hen-run (Portion of Father Mathew Park)	0	2	13
36.	Malahide road—Portion of the Lands attached to the "O'Brien Institution" (tilled)	2	1	19
	Total Area	89	3	14½

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25/4/'23

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"A1" MOTOR CYCLES. No Import Duty until present stock exhausted. First come, first served with Sunbeams, New Imperial, Diamond, Levis, P. and M., Harley Davidson, etc. Many bargains in Secondhand Combinations and Solo Machines. Wayte Bros., Lemon street, off Grafton street. T

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A FEW Lightweights Left at old prices, 2-speed, clutch, and kick starter models; £49.—Kelly, Bachelor's Walk. 25 A

ASTOUNDING Value—B.S.A., 2¾, £57 15/-; 3½ Sports, £70; 4¼, £72; 6 Twin, £85.—Woods, Westland Row. T

B.S.A. Combination for Sale, first rate order, £50.—N 1194, this office. 28 B

CEDOS, 1923 (New), 2 speed, clutch and k.s., £48; Osmond 1923 Lightweight, £28; Rudge Multi Combination, £45; P. and M., 2 speed, £35; James, 2¾, 2 speed, 1921, £30; Levis, 2¼, £22; Douglas, 4, 2 speed, £40; Royal Enfield, 2¼, 1922, £40; several Sidecars from £6 to £10.—Fitzgerald, 128 Stephen's Green. 23 X

FAST 4 h.p. Sporting Bradbury, T.T. bars, long copper exhaust, Phillipson pulley, John Bull belt and knee grips, special large tank, separate oil tank, specially tuned carburetter, top tube, tool box, tools, lamp, horn, tan sad and foot rests; tax paid end of June; £35.—N 937, this office. 27 B

FOR Sale, 3½ Norton, perfect mechanical condition, fast, spares. What offers? Seen Furley's, Merville avenue, Fairview. 27 C

FOR Sale, 2¾ Douglas, perfect, tax paid; also 1916 Ford Touring, as new; owner leaving country. Apply N 1130, this office. 27 A

HUMBER Motor Cycles, free of import duty; 4¼ h.p. Twin Sports £89; 4¼ h.p. Twin Touring £99.—Save the tax; buy now from Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon street, off Grafton street. 12 17

HENKIL Motors, Molesworth place—All Models, Velocette, James Motor Cycles; several Lightweights, from £30; 7/9 Harley Solo. 27 C

PORTMARNOCK Speed Trials, 14th April, 1923—Class E, 3½ H.P. Sports B.S.A., first; Class F, 4¼ H.P. B.S.A. Sidecar, first; unequalled for solo or sidecar.—Woods, 42 Westland Row. T

THE Duty of Motor Bicycle Buyers is to get a "Rudge," which is the best and latest in Motor Bicycle practice. The book we send you explains all. Write for particulars, or call at the "Bicycle Shop":—Rudge-Whitworth, Ltd., 1 Stephen's Green. 19 9

TRIUMPH for Sale, overhead valves, list price, new, unregistered.—N 942, this office. 26 B

4 H.P. Douglas Motor Cycle (needing repairs), with quantity of spares and accessories; bargain.—Thos. Thompson and Son, Ltd., 19 Lower Abbey st., Dublin.

WANTED.

WANTED, Combination, good make, perfect order; full particulars.—N 873, this office. 5 A

WANTED, Secondhand Sidecar, preferably lightweight or Triumph Sports model; good condition. Address "Z 1012, Sidecar," this office. 28 B

LORRIES, VANS: MOTOR AND STEAM HAULAGE.

FORD Ton Truck and Ford Van for Sale. Apply Cunningham's Bakery, Naas. 27 A

FORD Van, 1916, recently overhauled, new tyres, £80; Ford 1922 (September) Five Seater Touring, self starter, detachable rims, spare wheel has not yet been used, sacrifice, £110; Maxwell, 1915, splendid condition, £90, no offers; Regal Touring Car, trial given, £45; 1916 2¾ Douglas, £36. Above seen at Dixon and Knight, Garage, Dun Laoghaire. 'Phone, 260. 27 A

FORD Ton Chassis, £145; Truck, complete, £170; no duty; immediate delivery from stock; plus carriage.—Lee, Garage, Birr. 29 D

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SALOON Motor Bus, detachable body on Thornycroft Chassis, with or without interchangeable body.—Thos. Thompson and Son, 19 Lower Abbey st., Dublin. 26 A

SECONDHAND Karrier, A.E.C., Thornycroft, Commer, and Halford Lorries in stock; also Secondhand Sentinel Steam Wagon.—W. F. Poole and Co., Ltd., Karrier Agents, 8 Lower Abbey street, Dublin.

1923 FORD Ton Truck, never used, will Sell for £170. Address "Z 1039, Truck," this office. 29 D

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NEW 2 and 5 Seater Dublin-made Touring Bodies now ready, to suit any chassis, reasonable prices. Apply J. O'Toole, Coachbuilder, 74 Fitzwilliam lane, off Merrion street, Dublin.

1922 FORD Touring Body, new, with hood and side curtains, cushions, and windscreen, complete; £35. Address "Z 1038, Body," this office. 29 D

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"A1." BE PREPARED. National Bicycle Week, May 28th to June 2nd. Purchase one of Wayte's Wheels. Machines to suit all weights and pockets. Inspection invited.—Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon st., off Grafton st. T

CENTAUR Bicycles can now be supplied on gradual payment system, a small deposit and from 12/6 per month, at Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon street. 12 21

FOR Sale, Gent's Cycle, Royal Enfield, 26" frame, good condition, seven pounds.—N 1160, this office. 28 D

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SALE, £5, 26" Raleigh; perfect condition.—R O 1496, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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TWO Bicycles, Lady's and Gentleman's; state make, price, particulars.—N 770, this office. 24 F

CHAUFFEURS, MECHANICS, CONTINUED.

DISENGAGED.

CHAUFFEUR, any car, life's references; married, temperate, clean licence; 10 years' experience; all roadside and home repairs. Address "Z 953, Chauffeur," this office. 26 B

SITUATIONS CONTINUED

INDIAN FOREST SERVICE.

The Secretary of State for India is prepared to consider applications for appointment as Probationer for the Indian Forest Service, which will be made, after interview by a Selection Board, in or about August next. Candidates are required to be between the ages of 19 and 22 years on the 1st January, 1923, and must have obtained a Degree WITH HONOURS at a University of the United Kingdom in some branch of Natural Science. Selected candidates are placed on probation, normally for a period of two years, to be spent in the study of Forestry at Oxford, Cambridge, or Edinburgh, during which they receive an allowance at the rate of £300 per annum.

Applications for appointment must be received not later than the 1st July, 1923, on a printed form obtainable from the Secretary, Commerce and Revenue Department, India Office, London, S.W. 1, from whom full particulars may also be obtained.

BOOKBINDER, Letterpress Hand Wanted at once.—John English and Co., Wexford. 29 B

BOOT Dept.—Capable Salesman Required, provincial town; Midlands; Protestant. Apply stating experience and salary (indoor) "Z 102[illegible], Salesman," this office. 28 D

BOOT Trade—Smart Junior Saleswoman required, best class city trade. Enclose copies of last two references, state age and give all particulars, N 1150, this office. 29 D

CLERK Wanted for City Merchant's Counting House (holiday season only); one with 5 or 6 years' good experience might suit. Apply, stating experience, age, salary required, together with copy testimonials, N 1006, this office. 27 C

CLERK required for the Stephen's Green Club; salary £150; applicant must have a thorough knowledge of accounts; highest references required. Address replies to Hon. Secretary, Stephen's Green Club, Dublin.

DUBLIN Hardware Firm has vacancy for young Man as Assistant in Estimating Department; state age, where educated, and experience. Address "Z 978, Assistant," this office. 27 A

DELIVERY Clerk Wanted for Furnishing Warehouse; experienced, knowledge of transit and packing; state wages.—N 1108, this office. 27 A

DEMOBILISED Soldiers and Beginners—Your living guaranteed! Start your own Drapery Business; little capital required. Write for catalogue and advice.—H. Levaine, Dept. O. 143 Houndsditch, London, E. 1. X

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GENTLEWOMAN required to assist another in business; experience unnecessary; must be highly recommended, and willing to do anything. Address, first, "Z 1006, Gentlewoman," this office. 27 A

HOSIERY, Underclothing, Millinery—Wanted, Saleswoman for each of above Departments; Protestants; Dublin district; state experience, salary (indoor). N 1077, this office. 27 C

MECHANICAL Engineer Wanted to take charge small jobbing shop; must be good draughtsman, and well educated.—N 849, this office. 25 A

ORGANIST Wanted, Booterstown Church. Apply Hon. Sec. Organist Committee, Booterstown Church, Cross avenue, Blackrock. 27 A

PHOTOGRAPHY—Operator-Printer or Operator-Retoucher Wanted immediately; Dublin.—N 1014, this office. 27 C

SHOP Superintendent—Lady required, preferably with experience of "Fancies," to superintend service of customers in Grafton street house; must have good appearance and address; state experience fully and salary.—N 1112, this office. 27 C

SWEETS—Wanted, for high class Confections and Fruit Business, young Lady Improver; must have nice appearance and first class reference. Apply tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon between 2 and 4.30, at McCann's, 14 Lower O'Connell street.

TYPEWRITING—Vacancy for well educated Girl Pupil in Copying Office; Shorthand, Bookkeeping Taught; moderate fee.—N 1093, this office. 27 C

TAILORING—Wanted, capable Machinist, accustomed to divisional labour. Address, with references, stating experience and wages expected, "Z 1009, Machinist," this office. 27 C

THE South of Ireland School of Motoring, Clonmel; officially appointed by Irish Automobile Club—The indispensable institute for motorists. Special facilities for training Men as Chauffeurs. Employment Bureau; lowest fees; first class accommodation. Call or write for prospectus. X

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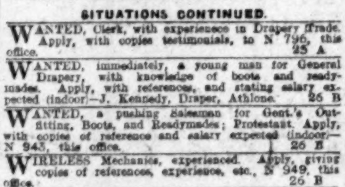

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WANTED, Clerk, with experience in Drapery Trade. Apply, with copies testimonials, to N 796, this office. 25 A

WANTED, immediately, a young man for General Drapery, with knowledge of boots and readymades. Apply, with references, and stating salary expected (indoor).—J. Kennedy, Draper, Athlone. 26 B

WANTED, a pushing Salesman for Gent.'s Outfitting, Boots, and Readymades; Protestant. Apply, with copies of reference and salary expected (indoor).—N 943, this office. 26 B

WIRELESS Mechanics, experienced. Apply, giving copies of references, experience, etc., N 949, this office. 26 B

WANTED, strong, capable youth, to work in Wine Merchant's Cellar; give age, references, etc.—N 881, this office. 26 B

WANTED, a Steward to take complete charge of Club in Southern town; single man preferred, or married man without family; state wages and send copies of references. Address "Z 947, Man," this office. 26 A

WANTED, Gentlewoman, Protestant, country place, near Dublin; cooking, housework; good help given; salary £30.—N 985, this office. 26 B

WANTED, Clerk Salesman by large timber and general merchants; knowledge of bookkeeping essential; must be experienced. Apply, with copies references, stating salary (outdoor), "Z 966, Clerk," this office. 26 B

WANTED, energetic young man for Despatch Work; must be a quick and neat writer; one residing South side of city preferred; state salary expected. Address "Z 968, Man," this office. 26 A

WANTED, smart young Man as Bookkeeper; must understand the posting of books and furnishing of accounts and write a neat hand; must reside South side of city; state salary expected. Address "Z 967, Bookkeeper," this office. 26 A

WANTED immediately, Lady Typist (experienced in bookkeeping and shorthand) for large city office. Apply, with copies of references, N 1071, this office. 27 A

WANTED, Girl, to Make up Orders, Fill and Weigh Flour, Meal, etc.—N 1104, this office. 27 C

WANTED, Mannequins. Apply at once, "Veronica," 31 Upper Baggot st. 27 A

WANTED, a Housekeeper (temporary) for country house, capable of taking entire charge children, usual duties. Apply, with all particulars, to Mrs. Gill, Castletown House, Birr. 29 C

WANTED, young Lady, junior, R.C., Bookkeeping and Cash, General Business, country town. Address, stating salary (indoor), with copies of references or recommendations, to "Z 1028, Bookkeeper," this office. 29 C

WANTED, for city office, well educated Youth, age about 17. Apply, own handwriting, with copies testimonials; small salary commencing.—N 1120, this office. 28 B

WANTED, for city office, competent Lady Typist and Shorthand Writer. Apply, in own writing, enclosing copies testimonials, stating age and salary expected, N 1119, this office. 28 B

WANTED, Lady Clerk, assist in office work and interview customers. Apply in own handwriting, with copies of references and salary expected. Address "Z 1021, Clerk," this office.

WANTED, Useful Help, I.C., country; all duties; general man kept; plain cooking, housework; good salary.—N 1153, this office.

YOUNG TOOL DESIGNER Required for Works Manager's Office in small Dublin Factory; experience of practical work and knowledge of preparing estimates necessary. Furnish qualifications, age, salary expected, etc., to Box F 2340, Kenny's Advertising Agency, Dublin.

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AMBITIOUS, energetic, business Man, holding very valuable concessions from eminent British, American and Continental firms, established offices and showrooms in Dublin, desires to meet one or two "live" young Men, with £250-£500, view to Partnership or Directorship small Limited Company. Only 100 per cent. Salesmen, with thorough knowledge General Drapery, and having established connections wholesale, retail trades, need apply. State age, qualifications, experience, and references, in strict confidence, first letter.—Box 88, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin.

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MANUFACTURER, with well equipped modern factory, doing good trade, desires Partner with capital to extend already flourishing, sound concern.—N 993, this office. 26 B

PARTNER (Working), with £500 to £700 capital, required for extension of existing Poultry Farm near Dublin; references given and required. Address "Z 766, Partner," this office. 8 20

PARTNER Wanted, Implement Trade and Repairs; suit Fitter; £100 to £200. Address "Z 1029, Partner," this office.

PARTNER Wanted, sleeping or active, Machinery Repairs and Threshing; small capital. Address "Z 1030, Capital," this office.

PROMOTER Wanted, small Company, established business. Address "Z 1031, Promoter," this office.

VACANCY for Secretary, lady or gentleman; must invest £500.—N 948, this office. 26 B

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS. OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

POSITIONS VACANT.

EXPERIENCED Cook required. Apply, with references, Prince of Wales Hotel, Athlone. 25 A

EXPERIENCED Linenkeeper required immediately; send copies, and state salary.—Grand Hotel, Greystones. 27 C

MANAGERESS Wanted for Private Hotel, city; enclose copies references.—N 1198, this office. 28 D

PORTER Wanted; must have hotel experience. Apply Hotel Allen, Harcourt street.

THE Standard Hotel, Dublin, require an experienced Waitress. 26 A

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

HOTEL Housekeeper or Linenkeeper, city or country; long papers.—N 301, this office. 27 C

HOTEL—Manageress, presently engaged, desires change, thoroughly experienced in first class hotel routine, buying, catering large numbers, cooking, bar, and secretarial duties. Address "Z 927, Manageress," this office. 29 B

LADY seeks position Manageress Restaurant, or Housekeeper institution or business house; excellent references; city preferred.—N 803, this office. A

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENTS Wanted on 10 per cent. commission basis in every town and village in Ireland by well known Firm of City Turf Accountants, to collect and forward us commissions.—N 157, this office. 12 19

AGENT Wanted by Glasgow Manufacturers of Leather Beltings, Round Banding, Belt Laces, etc., for Southern Ireland; full particulars. Address "Z 1013, Agent," this office. C

REPRESENTATIVES CONTINUED.

A FIRST class, old established House, manufacturing a Flour Improver and Cream of Tartar Substitute, is open to appoint a Representative, on a commission basis, for Ireland, where the company's products are well known; knowledge of the Milling, Self Raising Flour Trade and connection essential; applicants, who must be capable and energetic, are requested to give full particulars as to previous experience, etc.—N 907, this office. 26 B

SPECIALITY Salesman required on 15 per cent. commission basis; no salary; railway fares paid; no other expenses. The gentleman appointed will be required to cover the Free State regularly, be a live wire, and able to present thoroughly reliable proposition appealing to the majority of mills, factories, workshops, institutions, and shopkeepers generally. The situation is worth £500 per year. Replies, stating full particulars, to "Z 861, Salesman," this office. 7 25

TRAVELLER—Wanted, young Man, good appearance and address; wages, expenses, and commission to suitable man; state how last employed.—N 1151, this office.

WANTED, an established Agent in Free State, to work well known Proprietary Article, selling to Grocers and Ironmongers; one who can offer a good line for Northern Ireland preferred, on a mutual arrangement.—Box No. 969, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 27 A

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

GROCERY and Provision Traveller, presently engaged, wishes to represent good house. Fidelity Bond.—N 1183, this office. 28 D

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

LAW Clerk (Male), experienced ordinary office routine, expert typist, wishes change.—N 986, this office. 26 D

REQUIRED, capable Managing Clerk, thoroughly conversant all work, solicitor's office, provincial town, North. Send full particulars to "Z 874, Clerk," this office. 24 A

TYPIST, with own machine, requires Evening Work; considerable experience.—N 968, this office. 20 B

TYPIST and Stenographer Wanted for Solicitor's Office; state age and salary required.—N 1154, this office.

WANTED, first class Bookkeeper, accustomed drawing costs; also capable Shorthand Typist; able engross. Send copies testimonials, stating age and salary, to "Z 875, Bookkeeper," this office. 24 A

WANTED by Firm of Dublin Solicitors, Managing Clerk; must have thorough knowledge of Conveyancing, High Court and Land Commission practice. Reply, with copy testimonials, salary expected, N 1049, this office.

WANTED, Law Clerk, general knowledge, country practice, Tralee; state age, salary, experience, and references. Address "Z 1007, Lex," this office. 27 C

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

BUSINESS for Sale, South Dublin, suburbs; long lease; private residence, with large garden, adjoining; bank reference required; immediate possession given.—N 904, this office. 26 B

FULLY trained Staff Nurses required for Private Nursing Home.—N 1148, this office. 29 B

LADY requires position as Nurse Companion and Secretary to elderly invalid lady or gentleman.—N 1196, this office. 28 D

NURSE, Masseuse, and Housekeeper disengaged (Protestant); highest references. Address "Z 914, Nurse," this office. 25 A

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist—Manager required at once; salary and percentage.—Finegan's, 120 Royal avenue, Belfast.

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist Requires an Assistant; also a vacancy for an Apprentice. Address "Z 1027, Chemist," this office.

REGISTERED Dentist Wanted to manage Dublin Practice; please state salary expected.—N 1203, this office. 29 D

SURGEON Dentist has vacancy for Apprentice; fee moderate.—60 Harcourt street. 25 B

WANTED, superior, respectable Woman, 35-40, to assist in Mental Home; former experience not necessary if active and intelligent; salary £20, all found.—Mrs. Osburne, Lindville, Cork. 27 C

WANTED, Assistant, able to take full charge; Veterinary knowledge required; good salary to competent man. Address "Z 992, Assistant," this office. 27 C

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ART—Landscape Classes now starting; also Studio Classes, Still Life, etc.—N 1157, this office. 28 D

EXPERIENCED Governess (Protestant) wishes post; good teacher, needlewoman, testimonials; would go Companion or Secretary. Address "Z 1035, Governess," this office.

FRENCH, direct method—Mademoiselle Brunet, Lincoln Chambers, Lincoln place; interviews from 3 o'clock. 27 C

GENTLEMAN (B.Sc., Hons.) wishes post in Secondary School, Chemistry, Physics (main), Maths., Irish, English (subsidiary); good testimonials. Address "Z 928, Tuition," this office. 25 A

LADY highly recommends experienced Protestant Governess; fluent French, music; entire charge where maid kept; state salary.—N 1056, this office. 27 C

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SHORTHAND and Typing rapidly Taught; very moderate terms; sisters at reduction; morning, afternoon, evening. Apply Secretarial Training, 16 Kildare street. 29 X

YOUNG Lady would like to take daily post as Nursery Governess; South side preferred; well educated and highly recommended.—N 1070, this office. 27 A

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

WANTED, young Lady, Protestant, with experience of children, as Nursery Governess for boy aged 5; Pembroke district.—N 1138, this office. 28 D

YOUNG Protestant Gentlewoman Required as Governess; country; good salary. Address "Z 99[illegible], Governess," this office. 27 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

CONSTABULARY Pensioner, Protestant, single, wants situation, any position of trust; is an experienced caretaker; good references. Address "Z 932, Pensioner," this office. 25 A

DRAPERY—Young Lady (Protestant), just completed Apprenticeship in first class provincial firm, seeks engagement. Address "Z 929, Drapery," this office. 25 A

EDUCATED Lady (Protestant) seeks post of trust; teach, good at accounts, correspondence, needlework, housekeep. Address "Z 1036, Employment," this office.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

A CASE FOR GRADING.

THE AGE-OLD PROBLEM OF SERVANTS.

IT is not only butter, eggs, and milk that need grading. Its lack is at the root of the problem of domestic service. Most of the discussion on this subject is beside the point; hard cases on one side or the other are brought forward, accusations made and refuted, or met with a mere *tu quoque*, then the protagonists join in a pious duet in praise of the good old times, and, having completed its round, the matter remains pretty much where it started. All this is quite idle; there is no greater foe to accuracy of thought than hasty generalisation, a fault to which persons with a grievance are singularly prone, and all this idealising of the good old days is too often the result of ignorance. All old days were not good days, and no day is either good or evil simply because it is old or new. Our concern is to face conditions as we find them, and remedy what is defective as best we may. The belief that service was more faithfully performed of old than now goes back at least as far as Shakespeare: hear Orlando—

"O, good old man, how well in thee appears
The constant service of the antique world
"When service sweat for duty, not for meed!
"Thou art not for the fashion of these times,
"When none will sweat but for promotion;
"And, having that, do choke their service up
"Even with the having."

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The question of the continuance or extinction of the middle classes is largely bound up with that of the supply of domestic servants: if young women refuse to perform domestic work for such wages as can be paid by employers with a family to support out of an income of from £300 to £800, then the end of the middle classes is nearer even than the most pessimistic sociologists predict. Even the most capable, energetic, and industrious woman needs help in caring for her children and house, and if the shrinkage of the better elements of the population is not to go on increasing this help must be forthcoming.

The objection to the trades union methods of dealing with domestic service is obvious; a home is not a factory; emergencies occur, illness, accidents; at one part of the year the work is heavier than at another; there must be an amount of give and take, of elasticity, not only as between house and house, but at different times in the same house; that is irreconcilable with a system of fixed hours and payment by time.

Domestic service is beyond all question the best preparation for marriage. A maid finds in her employer's house problems of the same kind that she will have to face in her own later on. Leaving aside the limited number of women who undertake some skilled branch of domestic work, say cookery, as a serious profession for life, the very large majority of domestic workers is made up of young girls who intend to marry and settle down in their turn to the beautiful and necessary occupation of home-making. For them to enter on matrimony with an idea that a man is never late for a meal, that a child is never ailing, that a garment is never in need of hurried repair, that a boy will never be kept in at school or come home from the football field with a broken head, that a pipe never bursts or a window cord breaks is to lay up for themselves many a disappointment. The best way for them to get a clear view of what is most likely in store for them, and as well to acquire a sense of proportion in looking at the minor ills of life, is to go through a rehearsal of it all in some other person's house.

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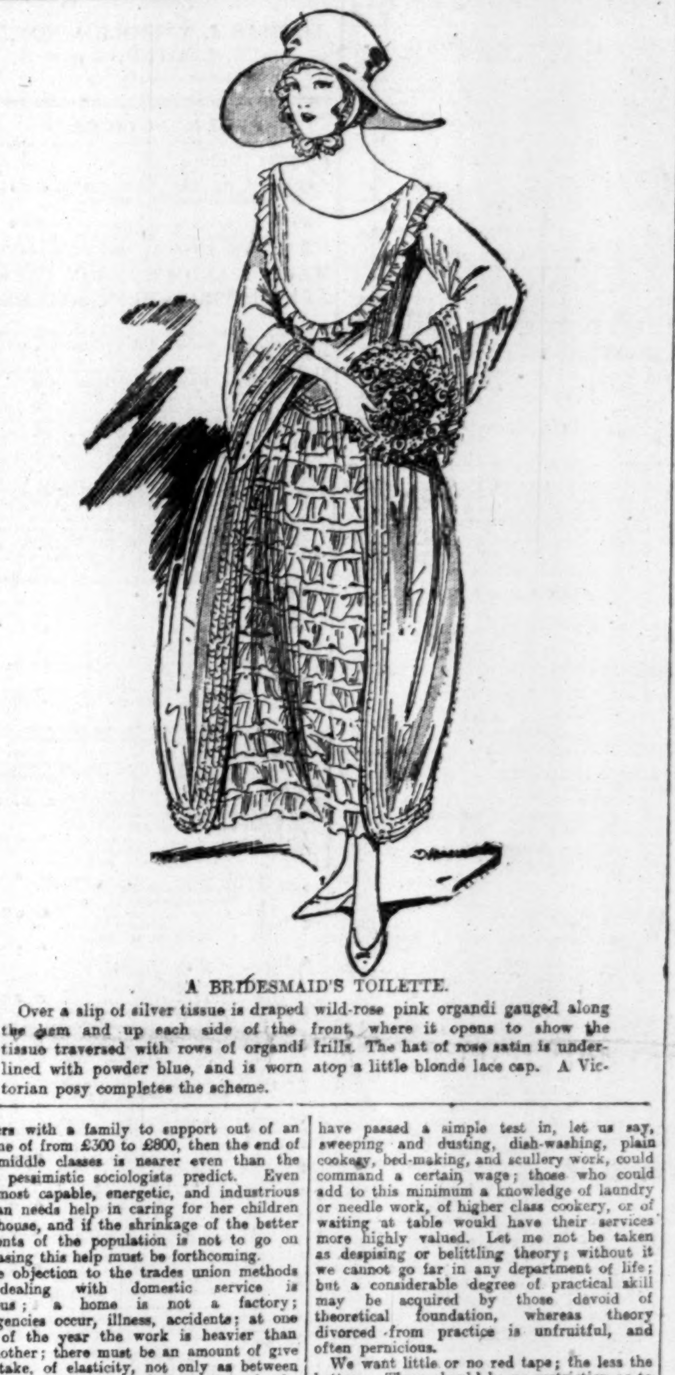
But there is a vast difference in the value of skilled and unskilled work. A professional cook, a nurse who has had training and experience is a skilled worker, and, as such, has a right to high pay; she has something wherewith to bargain, and can, and should, command adequate remuneration. Her services are for the well-to-do. But there are others, the majority, I repeat, who do not intend to remain in service, and who have taken no special pains to qualify themselves for it. These cannot be so highly graded; they are unskilled workers, and cannot expect to receive the wages of the skilled. To take it for granted that every person's time is of equal value is merely foolish; in no kind of work is this the case: skill is painfully acquired and must be taken into consideration.

To what does this lead? To this: Without any costly machinery of training, such as our friends across the Channel are setting up—machinery which is out of the question at present in Ireland on account of the many claims on our Treasury—let us have a simple, practical test in the performance of household duties, the passing of which would give a young girl a certain standing, and enable a prospective employer to know what to expect. Girls possessing a certificate stating that they have passed a simple test in, let us say, sweeping and dusting, dish-washing, plain cookery, bed-making, and scullery work, could command a certain wage; those who could add to this minimum a knowledge of laundry or needle work, of higher class cookery, or of waiting at table would have their services more highly valued. Let me not be taken as despising or belittling theory; without it we cannot go far in any department of life; but a considerable degree of practical skill may be acquired by those devoid of theoretical foundation, whereas theory divorced from practice is unfruitful, and often pernicious.

We want little or no red tape; the less the better. There should be no restriction as to where the candidate acquires her skill, at school, at home, at some technical school, in the house of an employer—some capable woman of small means who will undertake to give training as part payment for services; the point is that there should be some clear and definite relation between ability and payment.

Is this not now provided by the system of written references or characters? By no means. The standard of comfort, cleanliness, and decency varies so much as to render the written character of little use; a careless woman who is satisfied with slovenly work cannot realise what neatness means to her neighbour. A great deal of the useless, ignoble, and often degrading tittle-tattle that goes on among women of all ranks on the subject of domestic service is to be laid to the charge of our want of system and lack of grading.

R. M.



A BRIDESMAID'S TOILETTE.

Over a slip of silver tissue is draped wild-rose pink organdi gauged along the hem and up each side of the front, where it opens to show the tissue traversed with rows of organdi frills. The hat of rose satin is underlined with powder blue, and is worn atop a little blonde lace cap. A Victorian posy completes the scheme.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist seeks position; highest references.—N 772, this office. 25 A

GENERAL Handyman seeks engagement; carpentry, building, necessary repairs; well recommended.—N 758, this office. 24 A

GENTLEWOMAN offers services for home, nominal salary; generally experienced. Address "Z 1022, Services," this office.

GROCER'S Assistant, ten years experience, desires re-engagement, in good house; excellent reference; strict T.T. Address "Z 1040, Assistant," this office. 29 D

HIGHLY educated Lady seeks Position of Trust or Companion to Lady; R.C.; exceptional references. Address "Z 990, Lady," this office. 27 A

HOUSEKEEPER, Caretaker, or Nurse—Furnished Room Wanted in return by married Woman. South side.—N 1126, this office. 29 B

LADY (I.C.) desires post, Companion, Housekeeper, Assistant Matron, institution, club, school, or private house; experienced, capable; references; Northern Ireland preferred. Address "Z 904, Companion," this office. 25 A

LADY (Protestant), experienced, wishes re-engagement as Useful Companion to elderly or delicate lady; good housekeeper, needlewoman; salary optional.—N 307, this office. 27 B

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PROTESTANT Useful Help wishes situation in small family; Blackrock preferred; well recommended.—R O 1484, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 26 B

POST Office—Wanted, by Protestant young Lady, situation Assistant; sounder, counter, accounts. Address "Z 972, Assistant," this office. 27 A

SUPERIOR Girl will go Daily Help, one or two ladies; South side.—N 1187, this office.

SHORTHAND Typist—Employer going abroad is anxious to recommend Lady Shorthand Typist, age 17, reliable and brainy.—N 1114, this office. 28 D

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YOUTH, 15 years, just leaving school, desires position as Office Boy.—N 851, this office. A

YOUTH desires position in Picture House, good Pianist and Reader, city.—N 974, this office. 26 B

YOUNG Lady, three years' experience cash, general office routine, typing, knowledge shorthand, desires post.—N 1193, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

MAN Wanted, do horses, make himself generally useful; lowest wages expected.—N 1147, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.

RABBIT Trapping Wanted of well stocked Warrens; will exterminate.—Lombard, Grange, Buttevant, Cork. 26 B

REQUIRED by Lady Ardilaun, St. Anne's, Clontarf, Co. Dublin, experienced Footman (Protestant); butler and pantry boy kept. Apply, with copies.

TRAPPERS Wanted, with or without gear; well stocked.—Burns, Moneyrath, Cloughjordan. 26 B

WANTED, for quiet country place, West Coast, good Man, single, Protestant, for General Farm Work; good milker and thorough knowledge of sows essential; indoor; good wages to suitable man; strict T.T.; another man kept. Address "Z 849, Man," this office. 24 X

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, Gardener and General Man, married; care pony, drive, milk, generally useful; send copies, state age, religion, wages, and family.—Miss Butler, Lavistown, Kilkenny. 27 A

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

CARETAKER, with working sons, wants situation; Protestant family.—Rock, Ballykilcavan, Stradbally, Leix. 26 B

COUPLE disengaged; Wife cook, Man indoor servant; excellent references. Address "Z 964, Couple," this office. 26 B

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SITUATION required on a Farm by a thoroughly experienced Man; well connected, but willing to do anything.—Cambie, The White House, Templemore.

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GARDENER, hard working, experienced in all branches; son to help. Apply Gardener, Laragh, Castleblayney. 27 A

GARDENER (Singlehanded), Protestant, single; good worker, fruit, flowers, vegetables, indoor and out.—N 1110, this office. 27 C

GARDENER wants work, daily or permanent; good discharges; terms moderate.—G 303, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 29 D

LAND Steward, thoroughly experienced in stock and tillage; Protestant, married, no family; understands farm machinery; energetic, good manager. Address "Z 1003, Steward," this office. 27 C

MIDDLEAGED Man, married, no family, good discharges, seeks situation as Farm Steward; generally useful. Address C. Early, Ballinaharney, Longwood, Co. Meath. 26 B

WORKING Steward, married; good worker, practical experience all branches, machinery, stock, etc.; good manager of men; highly recommended. Address "Z 1004, Steward," this office. 27 A

WORKING Gardener, thoroughly understands his business in all branches; highly recommended.—Irish Times Branch Office, Wicklow. 28 D

YOUNG Man, Protestant, married, seeks situation as Plain Gardener, Carpenter, and Handyman; milk. Address "Z 1023, Man," this office. 28 D

DOMESTICS WANTED.

AT Kennedy's (over Purcell's), 68 Sackville street—Servants, all capacities, for Dublin, London.

LADY wants respectable Protestant Person, daily; good cook, generally useful; £18; Sandymount.—316, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

STRONG Girl Wanted; good home; well paid. Apply 61 Dufferin avenue.

USEFUL Ladies' Maid Wanted; good sewer and washer of fine articles; wages £30; state age and references.—Mrs. T. B., Abbeyholme, Cheltenham. 27 C

WORKING Housekeeper, Protestant, Wanted, country town, business house; good plain cooking and sewing essential; send references, age, and salary expected; family two; duties light; food and hours good. Address "Z 1002, Housekeeper," this office. 27 C

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted for family of two, father and son; duties light; age, wages, copies of references.—N 1118, this office. 28 D

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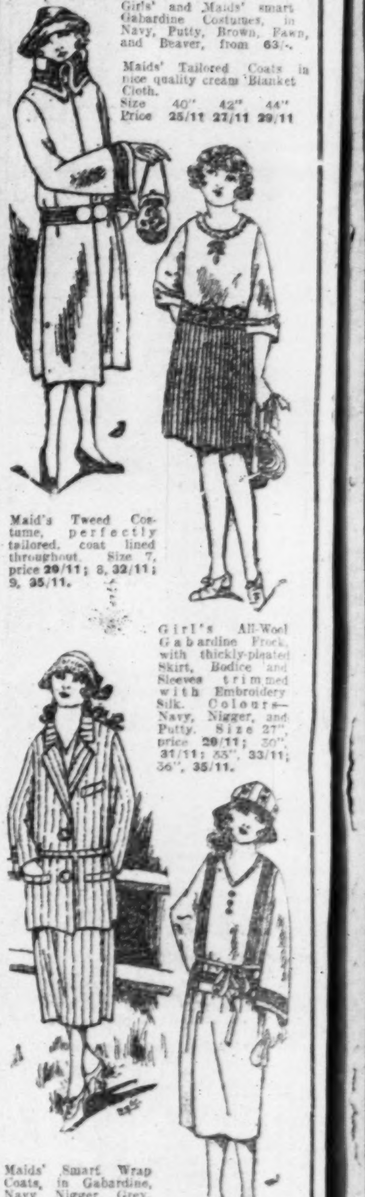
A COOK General, or General, with good knowledge of cooking. Bring references, 87 Lower Leeson street. 27 A



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COOK General Wanted; active, capable Girl; R.C.; some experience; send discharges, state age, wages.—Mrs. Harman, Oldcastle, Meath. 27 A

COOK Working Housekeeper, Protestant, Wanted, five miles from Dublin; mind poultry.—N 1029, this office. 27 C

COOK General Wanted for country house, small family; widow with daughter might suit.—Mrs. Pratt, Seafield, Gorey. 27 C

COOK General, superior, used to gentleman's house; good reference essential; send copies.—Matron, Irish Times Registry Office.

COOK General, good plain, active, for country place near Dublin; well recommended; experienced Kitchenmaid might do; good wages. Copies Matron, Registry, Irish Times.

COOK General Wanted, superior, doctor's residence, country, Wexford; R.C.; good reference essential; age, wages, and copies. Address "Z 1016, Cook," this office. 28 B

EXPERIENCED Cook required 14th May; kitchenmaid kept.—Lady Fry, Government House, Isle of Man. 25 C

GOOD Cook General Wanted (Protestant), very small family; wages from £36 to £40.—Pembroke Lodge, Dunmurry, Co. Antrim.

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WELL trained young Kitchenmaid required to train as Cook in school.—Castle Park, Dalkey. 25 A

WANTED for 1st May, good Cook General, small private hotel; country girl preferred.—P 406, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 25 A

WANTED, Cook General; good cooking; £30.—N 967, this office. 26 B

WANTED immediately for suburbs, Cook General and House Parlourmaid; must have some experience and be well recommended; Protestants.—N 1064, this office. 27 C

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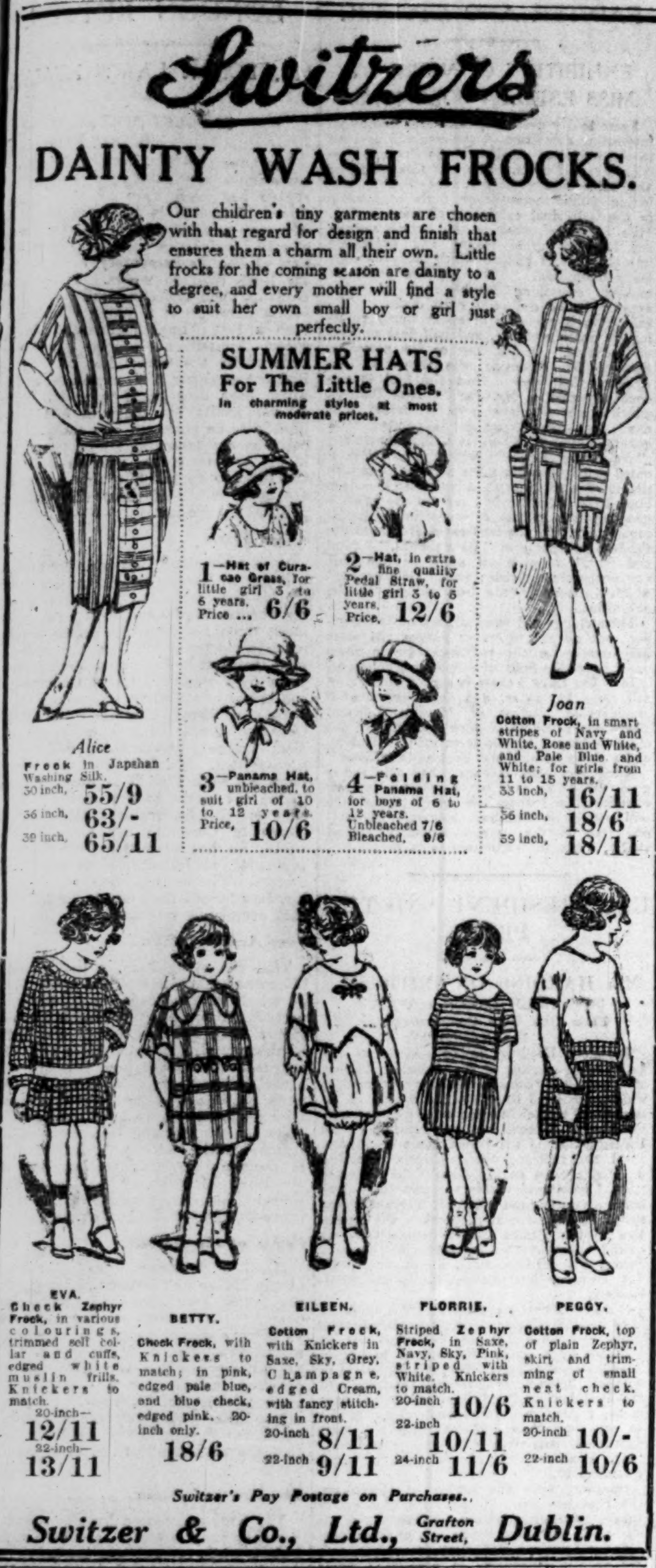

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WANTED, good young Cook; small family, suburbs; send copies, age, wages.—N 1060, this office. 27 A

WANTED immediately, experienced Cook General and House Parlourmaid.—30 Earlsfort terrace. 27 A

WANTED at once, for Chester, good plain Cook, young, small family; wages £30; two other Irish maids kept. Address "Z 1018, Cook," this office.

WANTED, Cook General, small family; good wages; must be well recommended. Apply Mrs. Armstrong, The Rectory, Portaferry, Co. Down. 24 X

WANTED, Good Cook; Protestant; three in family; betweenmaid. Write, stating wages, Lady Wickham, Comber, Co. Down. 29 D

GENERALS WANTED.

DALKEY—Wanted, General, to train; family two; good home; £12 commencing.—B 449, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 29 B

EXPERIENCED General Wanted for Killiney; good cooking essential; family small; another maid kept; near station and R.C. church. Send copies, state age, religion, and wages, Miss Moore, Moorefield, Ballybrack. 27 C

GENERAL Servant Wanted; washing; one fond of children preferred; good wages.—Mrs. Price, Church street, Athlone. 25 B

GENERAL (Protestant) Wanted in Belfast; good cook, washing; must be trustworthy and highly recommended; middleaged; comfortable home; full particulars and wages.—Box No. 967, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 26 B

GENERAL Servant Wanted, Portadown; small family; Protestant. Apply, with copies references, Mrs. Hopkins, La Vallee, Bray. 27 A

GENERAL Wanted for Sandycove; small family; good outings, good wages. Apply N 1024, this office. 27 A

GOOD General Wanted, indoor or outdoor, small house, three in family; washing. Call, Monday, after 4, 3 Victoria avenue, Donnybrook.

GENERAL Servant Wanted; good cook, attend table; quiet house, early dinner; very small washing; good wages given. Apply to-day, 10 to 1 o'clock, [illegible] Eglinton road.

GENERAL Servant—Wanted, young General; wages £20, indoor. Apply Lemass, 2 Capel street.

REQUIRED, a good General; must be well recommended.—33 Leinster road. 28 D

SMART, capable young General Wanted, country girl; well recommended; comfortable home; help given. Write, enclosing copy of papers, to M., c/o Walton's Library, Kingstown. 27 A

SUPERIOR General required immediately; good wages to suitable person. Apply 5 Raglan road, Ballsbridge. 29 B

WANTED, young country Girl, to train as General; three in family; strict cleanliness; Sandycove. Apply N 314, this office. 27 A

WANTED, smart young General; girl to train might suit.—30 Villiers road, Rathgar. 27 A

WANTED, smart young General; no washing; must be clean, tidy, well recommended; vicinity Sydney parade.—N 1067, this office. 27 C

WANTED, experienced young General for May and June; well recommended; good cook and houseworker; no washing, ironing, or scrubbing; five in family; Rathgar; £2 10/- monthly.—N 1046, this office. 27 C

WANTED, good General; three in family; comfortable place. Apply 24 Upper Mount st. after 6 o'clock. 27 A

WANTED, thoroughly experienced General; good cook, early riser; family three, Co. Wicklow; wages £35. Address "Z 1008, General," this office. 27 A

WANTED, experienced young General, well recommended, for small family. Call, after seven only, Graham, 17 Ely place.

WANTED, General; must have good experience and good references; betweenmaid and nurse kept; R.C.; Pembroke district.—N 1115, this office. 28 B

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HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

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PARLOURMAID Wanted at once; state wages, age, send copies.—Mrs. Plunkett, Portmarnock, Co. Dublin. 28 B

STRONG Girl Wanted, train as House Parlourmaid. Address "Z 1001, House Parlourmaid," this office. 27 C

WANTED immediately, respectable country Girl to train House Parlourmaid, country town, County Wicklow. Address "Z 934, Girl," this office. 25 A

WANTED at once, experienced House Parlourmaid for quiet country town near London; fare paid. Apply Davis, Caerleon, Portmore Park, Weybridge, Surrey, England. 25 B

WANTED at once, experienced Housemaid; four maids kept. Send full particulars to Miss J. Alexander, Milford, Co. Carlow. 29 C

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WANTED immediately, Protestant Children's Maid or Nurse, two children; good needlewoman. Apply, after 5, Ferrier, 43 Eglinton road. 29 B

WANTED, refined young Girl to look after four children, youngest over 3 years; recommended. Apply 36 Hannaville Park, Terenure. 29 B

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED for King's County, Kitchenmaid, R.C., with some experience; strong, active, cleanly girl; good references necessary. Address, stating age and wages, "Z 949, Kitchenmaid," this office. 28 B

WANTED, experienced Kitchenmaid for Co. Dublin; country place; send particulars. Address "Z 983, Maid," this office. 27 A

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, R.C., strong country girl; suburbs; state age, wages, send copies. Address "Z 973, Kitchenmaid," this office. 27 C

WANTED immediately, a good Singlehanded Kitchenmaid, R.C.; country.—Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Kildangan, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. 27 C

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GENERALS DISENGAGED.

A GOOD General; small family; Ballsbridge preferred; good papers; £26. Address "Z 1015, General," this office. 28 B

COUNTRY Girl, General; understands plain cooking; state wages; recommended.—Hollingsworth, Rathnew.

GENERAL or Children's Nurse, outdoor, disengaged; good papers.—N 801, this office. 25 A

GENERAL requires position, small family; Monkstown, Kingstown preferred; good references.—Miss Sarah O'Reilly, 5 St. Columba's terrace, Arklow. 27 B

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HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

COUNTRY Girl, young, R.C., wishes situation House Parlourmaid; suburbs preferred; good reference.—Annie Lynch, Ballycumber, Offaly.

EXPERIENCED, reliable Parlourmaid disengaged; not young; go temporary, permanent; suburbs.—N 1137, this office. 28 B

HOUSEMAID or House Parlourmaid disengaged; satisfactory papers; well recommended; city or nearest suburbs; small family preferred.—N 1121, this office.

MRS. Ferrier recommends Housemaid; good needlewoman. Apply 53 Eglinton road, Donnybrook. 26 B

RESPECTABLE young Girl desires situation as House Parlourmaid; country preferred.—N 895, this office. 26 B

YOUNG House Parlourmaid disengaged; city or suburbs; highest references.—N 798, this office.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Protestant Infant's Nurse disengaged; first baby preferred; wages £36 to £40; highly recommended.—317, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 27 C

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WANTED, Yost Typewriter, in perfect order; state price.—N 1113, this office. 28 D

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TOMATO Plants, tested croppers, 4/6 dozen.—White, Selbourne, Newtown. 12 26

TOMATOES, Ailsa Craig, Fillbasket, 3/- dozen.—Yew Park Gardens, Castle avenue, Clontarf. 25 B

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AFRICAN Grey Parrots, Talking Green Parrots, lovely pets, finger tame; Cockatiels, Love Birds, Canaries, Baths, Drinkers; young Parrots.—Keegan, 35 Upper Ormond quay. 16 17

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HATCHING Eggs—Trapnested Rhode Island Reds, 8/6, 10/6, 15/- dozen.—McCann, Frankfield, Foxrock. 8 25

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GRAZING Land to Let by the eleven months, 18 acres, more or less, at Dolphin's Barn; offers wanted.—The Dublin Brick Co., Ltd., Dolphin's Barn, Dublin. 25 A

GRAZING for Horses, Cattle, Sheep—Divisions to Let, at Mount Seskin, Brittas, Dublin. 27 A

THREE excellent Stables, Motor Garage, Harness Room, Hay Loft, etc.; close to entrance Phoenix Park, North Circular road.—N 867, this office. 25 A

TO Let, Stable, on Dartry road; could be used as garage.—N 1144, this office.

BUSINESS SALE AND WANTED.

AUCTION, 3rd May—Dame Street Picture House, fully appointed.—Battersby and Co., Auctioneers. 7 26

FOR Sale as a Going Concern, a select Bakery and Catering Business on leading road, Belfast; good bakehouse and dwelling accommodation; exceptional opportunity for pushing man; inquiries solicited. Address Box No. 955, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.

LAUNDRY for Sale in Belfast City as a Going Concern; small well equipped Power Laundry, doing increasing business; owner retiring due to health. Address Box No. 968, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 26 B

POULTRY Farm, with living accommodation, Wanted to purchase as Going Concern. State particulars and lowest terms to N 889, this office. 26 B

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AUCTION, 3rd May—110 N.C. road; free of rent; possession; semi detached; soundly built.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 7 26

"AILSA," Waverley avenue, Fairview (No. 8), for Sale, with possession; modern house, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), all conveniences; excellent repair. Apply J. and R. Thompson (Dublin), Ltd., Fairview, Dublin. T

AT Terenure—£1,050, charming House; 5 bedrooms, spotless order; possession.—Arthur Jones, Auctioneers, Greystones. 27 C

AT Bray Esplanade—Charming Bungalow Residence for Sale, facing sea; large verandah, and 5 rooms, kitchen, hot bath, on half an acre; gas, electric light; reduced price £1,250. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's st. 28 C

ADJACENT to Phoenix Park—Cheap House for Sale, with possession, at Chapelizod; 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, hot bath, garden, and rear entrance; price only £575. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's st. 28 C

BELFAST—Vacant Houses for Sale and Furnished Houses to Let. Enquiries invited.—W. and E. Garrett, 6 Bedford street, Belfast. T

BELFAST—For Sale, possession, large commodious Double House, University street (convenient Belfast University); 2 good reception, 8 bedrooms, dressing-room, boxroom, bath (h. and c.), kitchen aparts., out-offices, room motor; low ground rent and valuation; moderate price; suit family residence, private hotel, nursing home, or professional gentleman. Further particulars, cards to view, W. and E. Garrett, 6 Bedford street, Belfast. 26 B

BLACKROCK—Glenart Lodge, Glenart avenue; possession; detached, non-basement; eight good rooms and kitchen, bath, gas, Vartry; excellent garden. Key, Scully, St. Theodore's, Green road, Blackrock.

CARRICKMINES—House for Sale, free all rent, beside station, post office, church, golf links, tennis club; 7 rooms, bath, h. and c.; garden, garage, etc.—N 935, this office. 26 X

DETACHED, Sandymount, sea view; 5 bedrooms, hot bath, large garden; Furniture valuation if desired; possession; £1,250.—Arthur Jones, Auctioneer, Greystones. 25 A

DRUMCONDRA—69 Hollybank road. Auction 3rd May. Modern; convenient; possession.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 7 26

DELGANY, Co. Wicklow—Innismore, on 25 Acres prime Land; attractive Residence; conveniently situated; possession. Auction, 3rd May.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 7 26

DALKEY—Attractive two storeyed Residence for Sale, nicely situated; possession given; price for prompt sale £950; perfect order. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's st. 26 A

EIGHT Per Cent. out of Profit Rents in Dublin for Sale; £3,000.—N 821, this office. 25 A

FOR Sale, 7 Victoria road, Rathgar, modern House, 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, 2 dressing rooms, breakfast room, large kitchen, servant's room, etc.; garden and vegetable plot. Communications, 26 Victoria road, Rathgar. 25 A

FOR Sale, vacant possession, £560, neat brick built slated Cottage, with 13 Acres Land, peaceful district, Tandragee, Co. Armagh.—R. M. Cullen, Solicitor, Portadown. 26 B

FOR Sale, compact non basement House, near Fairview; close tram line; six rooms, bathroom (h. and c.), washhouse; P.L.V. £17; possession to purchaser.—N 1002, this office. 27 C

GLENGARIFF parade—Six roomed House, excellent order; nearest bid £550 will be taken.—Messrs. Holden, Auctioneers, Saint Andrew street.

GLORIOUS Devon—Near Exmouth, delightful, old style Country Residence, four reception rooms, billiard room, eight bedrooms; three cottages, stabling, grass fields, nine acres; electric light, central heating, and all modern improvements; a charming property, in a particularly good social and sporting district. Price and full particulars, including (or without) cottages and paddocks, from Crews and Son, the Agents, South Devon. 26 X

IONA Drive—House for Sale, greatly reduced price; electric light, etc.; immediate possession.—N 1011, this office. 27 A

LUCAN—Charming Detached House for Sale; possession; electric light, telephone, h.c. bath, garage, large garden, stocked fruit, vegetables, and vinery; tennis court; accommodation for horses, cows, etc.; minute from tram; private treaty; no agents. Address "Z 982, House," this office. 27 C

MARGUERITE road—Vacant possession given of Modern 7 Roomed House; bathroom; nice suburban locality; long lease; rent £5 yearly.—N 321, this office. 25 A

MONKSTOWN—16 Trafalgar terrace; possession; choice position. Auction, 3rd May.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Westmoreland street. 7 26

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include "Abbotsford," 60 Kenilworth square. Choice detached House, with large gardens, 2 sittingrooms (tiled grates, marble mantels), 4 bedrooms, bath, breakfast parlour, etc.; greenhouse, fowl run, garage at rear; rear entrance; ground rent £5 15/-, lease 900 years. Cards to view from Auctioneers. Possession to purchaser. 27 C

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include 26 Neville road, Rathgar, just off Highfield road; possession; neat House, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, bath, good gardens, side entrance; ground rent £8, lease 450 years. Keys with Auctioneers. 27 C

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include 37 Mornington road, Ranelagh; vacant possession; sittingroom, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, good garden, rear entrance, etc.; ground rent £2 10/-, lease 900 years. Orders to view from Auctioneers. 27 C

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include 131 Clonliffe road, cottage style House, let at £3 2/- monthly; sittingroom, 2 bedrooms, good garden, rear entrance; ground rent £2 10/-, lease 350 years. 27 C

POSSESSION—24 Upper Elmwood avenue, Ranelagh; five apartments, hot bath, greenhouses, cycle and coal houses, yard, garden; head rent £3 10/-, price £700. Seen after 6 any evening. 25 A

RATHMINES—131 Leinster road; possession; well built House; large fruit garden. Auction, 3rd May.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 7 26

RATHGAR road—Semi Detached Residence; eight apartments, hot bath, electric light, good gardens, garage; £1,100.—Messrs. Holden, Auctioneers, Saint Andrew street.

SELL, Compact Residence, Kenilworth Park, containing 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, servant's, bathroom, h. and c.; w.c.; lease over 200 years; price £1,050; clear possession.—N 1054, this office. 27 C

SALE, three Houses, Tritonville road; possession one; non basement, electric, h. and c.—N 1191, this office. 28 B

VILLA for Sale, £650; two reception, three bedrooms, bathroom, conservatory, acre garden.—Shaw, Parkgate avenue, Belfast.

9 NOTTINGHAM street, 6 apartments, electric light, stable, loft; possession. Seen any time.

£1,250—GREYSTONES—Half acre, charming Maisonette, hot bath, four bedrooms, garage.—Arthur Jones, Son, Agents, Greystones. 25 A

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CLONTARF, Hollybrook road—Modern Furnished House to Let, June, July, August, September; 4 bedrooms, 3 sittingrooms.—N 830, this office. 25 A

MODERN House to Let, for year or longer, at Eaton Square, Terenure; very well furnished.—N 847, this office. 25 A

TO Let, nicely Furnished, House, containing five rooms and kitchen, electric light, gas cooker, bath, Leeson Park vicinity; close to three trams.—N 914, this office. 26 B

TO Let for August, commodious Furnished House on Dartry road; 5 bedrooms, gas cooker, stable, etc.—N 1145, this office. 28 D

WEEK End Cottage, suit business girls; terms very moderate. Address "Z 765, Cottage," this office. 12 21

HOUSES WANTED.

A FURNISHED House Wanted, any part Dublin, one year or longer; terms must be moderate; no children; very careful tenant.—N 797, this office. 25 A

EXCEPTIONAL Tenant would like to Rent Unfurnished House, about five apartments, garden; key £30.—N 1132, this office. 27 C

FURNISHED House Wanted from middle June, South side; state full particulars.—N 1053, this office. 27 A

HOUSE Wanted, to rent or buy, with plot of ground, 6 or more apartments, suburbs; must be moderate. N 888, this office. 26 B

HOUSE, with Furniture, Wanted to Purchase, before 12th June.—N 1174, this office. 27 C

MOST respectable Couple want House, 4 or 5 rooms, or Half House or Flat, central; exceptional references. Address "Z 1017, House," this office.

NORTH Circular road—Wanted, to purchase non basement House, close to Phoenix Park.—N 1044, this office. 27 A

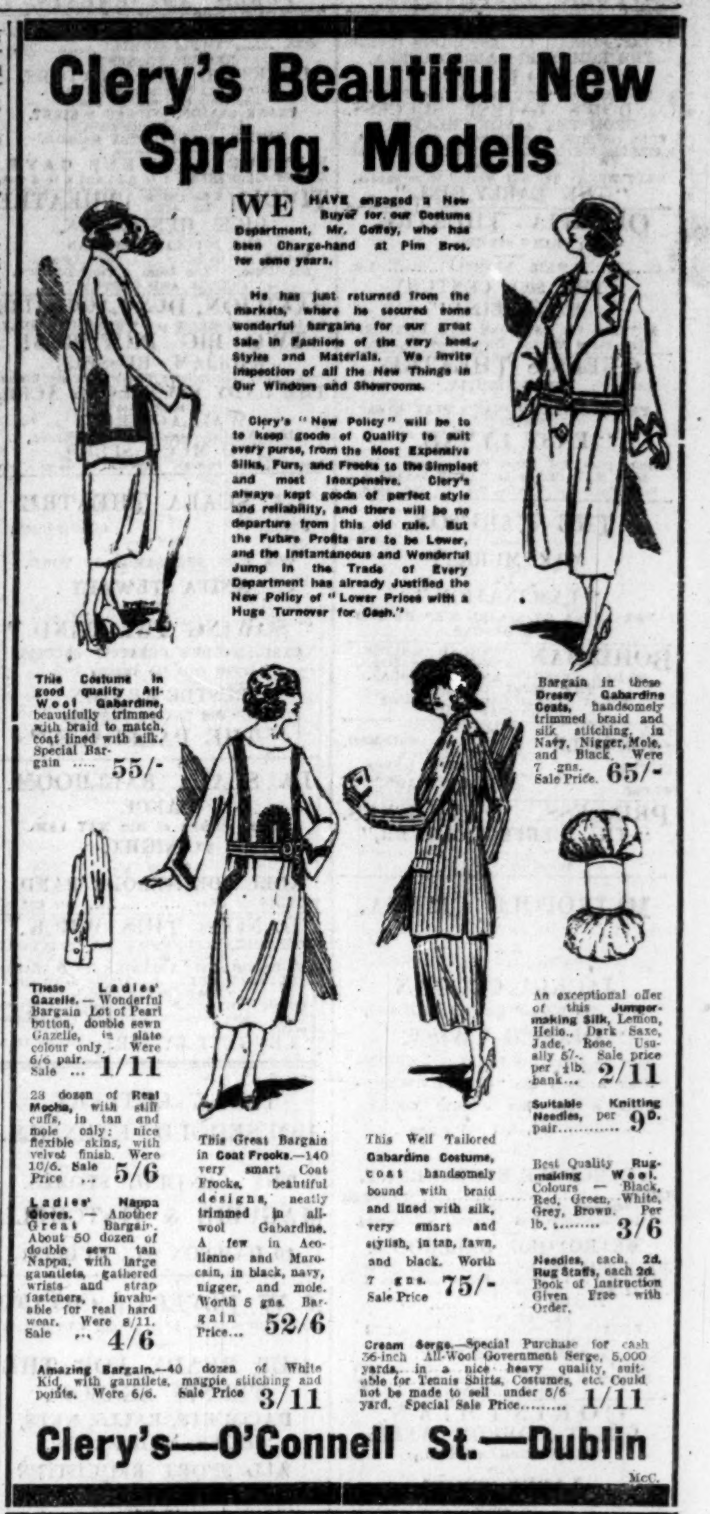
WANTED to rent by Civil Servant, small House or Self Contained Flat, city or suburbs, £1 weekly.—N 850, this office. 25 A

WANTED, small House or Cottage, with garden; South suburbs.—N 848, this office. 25 A

WANTED to rent, urgently, small Unfurnished House or self contained Flat, Fairview or Clontarf district preferably; young people, no children; highest references given.—N 829, this office. 25 A

WANTED, modern House, Rathgar, Pembroke, or sea line, about £1,000; early possession.—Arthur Jones, Agents, Greystones. 25 A

WANTED, small modern Unfurnished House or Half House to Rent by young married couple, one grown child; rent in advance if desired; Dublin or suburbs.—N 1056, this office. 27 A



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HOUSES WANTED CONTINUED.

WANTED to Rent moderately sized House, with small garage; Dublin or suburbs. Full particulars to N 822, this office. 25 A

WANTED, within 5 miles of city, Unfurnished small House or Cottage, about £45 yearly; nice lodge would suit.—N 984, this office. 26 B

WANTED to Purchase, Detached House, between Dublin, Bray. Particulars, Daisy Bank, Bray. 28 F

WANTED, House to Buy, Dublin or suburbs, price about £950. Apply, with full particulars, to N 1199, this office.

WANTED to Rent, Unfurnished House in Burlington road, Rathgar, or Ballsbridge districts, from 1st June; rent and taxes not to exceed £200.—N 1124, this office. 28 D

WANTED, to Rent, small House, with one or two acres of land, South side.—R O 1495, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, to Purchase, non basement House, in Palmerston Park district. Reply Greene and Co., 11 Nassau street.

WANTED, Cottage or small House near Dublin. Address "Z 1020, Cottage," this office.

WANTED, small Furnished or Unfurnished House, in or near Dublin, South side; no children. Reply Lieut.-Commander J. F. MacCabe, Killester, Co. Dublin.

£20 OFFERED for Key of modern Unfurnished House, seven or eight rooms, Dublin, South side, convenient to tram. Address "Z 1005, House," this office. 27 C

£40 FOR Key of small Cottage, about 4 rooms, Furnished or Unfurnished, Dublin or within six miles. Address "Z 1019, Cottage," this office.

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APARTMENTS Agency, 45 Henry st.—For Students, business people, paying guests; Flats. 15 T

A SELF contained Flat; separate lavatory, gas, electric; £65.—42 Westland row. 25 A

APARTMENTS to Let, Haddington road, comfortable Double Bedded Room, use Sittingroom, h. and c. bath; suit two young men dining out; moderate.—510, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 25 A

APARTMENTS—Bedroom and Sittingroom, nicely Furnished, Pembroke.—N 1076, this office.

AT 43 Lower Leeson st.—High class Residence. 27 C

A CLERGYMAN'S sister has Bed and Sittingroom, Furnished, to Let; suit lady or gentleman dining out. Apply 115 Upper Leeson street. 28 D

AT 84 Pembroke road—Sittingroom, Double Bedroom, Board as desired.

CHRONIC Patients taken in nurse's house outside Dublin; large garden, pony and trap; no night nursing; terms 4 to 5 guineas weekly. Address "Z 767, Patients," this office. 12 21

COMFORTABLY Furnished Apartments, ladies; near trams; bath.—R O 1482, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

COMFORTABLE Apartments, Furnished, select house; dining out preferred.—12 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook. 26 B

COMFORTABLE Combined Room, Merrion square vicinity, one guinea; meals arranged; smaller Room, 15/-; or Paying Guests.—N 1185, this office.

COMFORTABLE Combined Room, adjacent Merrion square, with breakfast, 30/-; smaller Room, 25/-; or Paying Guests.—N 1192, this office.

FLAT (four rooms), Unfurnished, to Let, use bath, gas cooker, etc., good locality, Rathmines; convenient city; suit married couple.—N 793, this office. 25 A

FITZWILLIAM street, Lower (4)—Two Ground Floor Rooms, suit doctor's, dentist's consulting rooms, or solicitor's office; moderate. 25 A

FLAT, St. Stephen's Green, well Furnished, 3 (or 5) rooms, bathroom, etc.—N 976, this office. 26 B

FLAT, ideal, self contained, on one floor; three large rooms, lounge hall, kitchen, gas cooker, bathroom, geyser, lavatory, electric light; newly constructed and decorated. Caretaker, 4 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 26 B

FLAT, Furnished, 2 bedrooms, 2 sittingrooms, bathroom, geyser, kitchen, electric light, to be Let for June, July, and August, near to Merrion square; rent for the three months £50.—N 956, this office. 26 A

FITZWILLIAM square—Flats, Furnished, with attendance, from two guineas; Combined Room, guinea; restaurant attached. Telephone, 3164.—N [illegible], this office. A

FURNISHED Flat, Sittingroom, Bedrooms, use kitchen, private house, South side; moderate.—N 1197, this office.

FLAT (spacious), 2 reception, 2 bedrooms, basement, kitchen, maid's room, garden, electric light; suit dentist, doctor. Apply 30 Lower Baggot st. 28 D

FLATS to Let, Furnished and Unfurnished. Particulars at 70 Harcourt street.

FURNISHED Half House or Apartments, select, modern, Phoenix Park road.—N 637, this office.

GENTLEMEN can have comfortable, quiet Apartments, partial board, 22/6 weekly, vicinity Harrington street.—N 912, this office. 26 B

GENTLEMAN, dining out, can have large Bedroom, use of sittingroom, moderate; Palmerston Park vicinity.—N 981, this office. 26 B

GENTLEMAN will Let part of his Furnished House to English family or military people.—N 1030, this office. 27 D

LADY or two, Protestant, can have comfortable Home (partial board); tennis; terms moderate.—N 816, this office. 29 A

LEESON Park—Furnished Half House, kitchenette. Address "Z 941, House," this office. 26 A

LARGE bright Combined Room, with Boxroom, well Furnished (professional man's house, central); no attendance; moderate to good tenant.—N 1039, this office. 27 A

LARGE Front Combined Room, or with sittingroom; partial board; modern house, Merrion; motor cycle accommodation if necessary; state requirements and terms offered.—N 1095, this office. 27 A

NICE Bedroom and Sittingroom, bath, every convenience, lady's private house, Rathdown road; suit gentlemen dining out or elderly ladies.—N 863, this office. 25 A

RATHMINES, 7 Annesley Park—Well Furnished Apartments, bath, attendance; terms 25/- weekly. 26 B

SANDYMOUNT—Superior Flat, Furnished, self contained, newly decorated; 45/- weekly; no children. N 1062, this office. 27 A

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Compensation (PERSONAL INJURIES) Committee

Injuries to the Person Sustained Subsequent to January 21st, 1919.

This Committee is now prepared to receive and consider applications for compensation presented by any person who has suffered loss by reason of having been injured in his or her person, or by the dependants of any person who has died in consequence of having been so injured in any of the following cases occurring since January 21st, 1919, namely:—

(1) Where the injury was one to which the Criminal Injuries Acts would have been applied by the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Act, 1919, as amended by the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Act, 1920, had these Acts remained in force.

(2) Where the injured person was, or was likely to be, excluded from the benefit of the Criminal Injuries Acts (as so applied) by reason only of the injury having been inflicted by members of the British military or police forces.

(3) Where the injury was sustained without default on the part of a person being a non-combatant in the course of belligerent action between the British forces and the Irish National forces, or in the course of operations by the National Forces against persons engaged in armed rebellion against the Government of Saorstat Eireann, whether before or after the passing of the Constitution.

Forms of application setting out the particulars which will be required in the first instance by the Committee may be obtained from the Secretary, at No. 125 Lower Baggot street, Dublin. Applications must be made immediately. The latest date on which applications can be received will be announced later.

(Signed), D. P. SHANAGHER, Secretary.

The Compensation (Personal Injuries) Committee, No. 125 Lower Baggot street, Dublin,
25th April, 1923.

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"IRISH TIMES" IN LONDON.

The "Irish Times" can be obtained at the Bookstall on the departure platforms at Euston Station on the evening of the day of publication, or on the following morning at the London Office, 59 Fleet Street.

APARTMENTS TO LET CONTINUED

SELF-CONTAINED Unfurnished Hall Flat to Let, Lower Fitzwilliam street; bath, kitchenette, telephone, and all modern conveniences, use of lounge hall; service if required; suit doctor.—N 930, this office. 25 B

TO Let, Upper Half, Harcourt street House; four rooms, kitchen, bathroom (geyser); £10 monthly.—N 1162, this office.

UNFURNISHED Rooms or Half House, bath (h. and c.), electric light, tram to door, sea front, Sandymount; garage if wanted.—N 919, this office. 25 B

UNFURNISHED Flat, 1 sitting, 2 bedrooms, kitchenette, gas cooker, electric light, hot bath; £70.—N 931, this office. 25 B

YOUNG lady (Protestant) can have Furnished Room, partial Board, homely family, vicinity Dartmouth square.—N 1028, this office. 27 A

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THE STOCK EXCHANGE WALK.

There was a record field for the annual Stock Exchange walk from London to Brighton on Saturday, all but three of the thirty-seven entrants facing the starter. H. B. S. Rhodes, the winner for the last three years, and T. E. Hammond, the ex-holder of the record, acted on this occasion as judges, but amongst several veterans competing was H. A. Dunkley, who took part in the 1903 contest. Taylor, the ultimate winner, was early in the lead. Murrane, who was second last year, showed the way, but after a little more than forty miles Murrane was seized with cramp. Taylor then went to the front to win easily, but Murrane, despite his bad luck, was second again. The first six men to reach Brighton were:—H. St. George Taylor, 9 hrs. 28 mins. 35 secs.; W. A. Murrane, 9 hrs. 49 mins. 11 secs.; J. P. Spivey, 9 hrs. 49 mins. 59 secs.; S. M. Ayles, 9 hrs. 50 mins. 43 secs.; F. G. Andrew, 9 hrs. 57 mins. 6 secs.; E. P. Hodgson, 9 hrs. 58 mins. 36 secs.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

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Éamonn O Frighil,
Rúnaidhe.

Aireacht um Ghnóthaí Dúithche,
24adh Mí Aibreain, 1923.

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The Irish Times.

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Three young men placed a powerful mine in the shop of Messrs. Edward Lee and Co., Rathmines road, Dublin, on Sunday morning, and the explosion tore away the front of the building and damaged several other houses in the street.

A mine which was placed in a signal cabin on the Great Northern Railway at Amiens street Terminus on Saturday night blew out the front of the structure, and passengers whose train was leaving for Drogheda were injured by flying pieces of glass and woodwork.

The Government has issued no statement concerning Mr. de Valera's peace manifesto. Mr. Thomas Johnson approves Mr. de Valera's six points.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Lloyd George outlined a Liberal programme at a great meeting which he addressed on Saturday in Manchester. The great task that lay before them was the overthrow of the tyranny of the sword and the remedying of the evils of modern industrialism.

There were remarkable scenes at Wembley on Saturday, when the English Football Cup final was watched by a crowd of 200,000. The barriers were rushed, and the spectators invaded the playing field.

ABROAD.

Aeroplanes can be brought down by a wireless invention in use in Germany.

SPORTING.

At the Phœnix Park on Saturday Captain Dixon's Glendun won the Loder Plate.

At Sandown Park Southampton won the Grand International Handicap Steeplechase.

Tobacco and Industry.

The news that Messrs. W. D. and H. O. Wills, Limited, have acquired premises for a factory in Dublin, and that Messrs. John Player and Sons are likely to follow suit, has revived interest in the tobacco controversy. The brands of tobacco and cigarettes which are manufactured by these two firms enjoy great popularity in Ireland; and since, before the imposition of the new Customs regulations, some fifty millions of cigarettes were imported into this country every week, their decision to open factories in the Free State was almost inevitable. The new duties on imported tobacco raised the price of their cigarettes by twenty-five *per cent.*, and their enterprise in Ireland has as its object the evasion of this considerable handicap on their trade. Their action is quite legitimate. The great American tobacco trust has opened factories in Great Britain for the same purpose, while firms like Lever Brothers have soap factories in Holland, France and Belgium which are able to compete with local manufacturers on equal terms. Smokers are conservative folk, who can be weaned only with difficulty from their favourite brands of tobacco and cigarettes; and the fact that even at the increased prices "English" cigarettes are being bought in large quantities proves that the presence of two "English" factories in Dublin will be a boon to thousands of Free State citizens.

The Free State tobacco trade seems to regard the "invasion" with some alarm. It fears that the big British tobacco trust will establish a monopoly and capture the distributing trade for the whole country. Since the new Customs regulations came into force the demand for Irish tobacco and cigarettes has increased, and manufacturers have begun to lay down new plant in order to cope with growing orders. One Dublin firm, for instance, has installed ten new machines, and the trade is inclined to the belief that, if Messrs. Wills and Player are allowed to start their factories, "they will not leave an independent manufacturer in the Free State." We can understand the anxiety of the Free State manufacturers, but we see no reason for undue alarm. After all, before the new Customs regulations were imposed Irish tobacco and cigarettes were in competition with the products of the Imperial Tobacco Company, and, on the assumption that their quality continues to be no lower than that of Messrs. Wills's and Player's manufactures, the transfer of two factories from England to Ireland will not make any appreciable difference in their sales. These factories will be "Irish" factories, just as Guinness's Brewery is an Irish brewery or the Fordson works in Cork are Irish works. They will employ Irish workers, they will pay Irish taxes, and their shares will be on the market to be bought by Irish investors.

The normal consumption of cigarettes in Ireland before the new fiscal *régime* was about seventy millions *per* week. Fifty millions were imported and twenty millions were manufactured in the country. Since that time the consumption has remained more or less stationary. It is to be presumed that, if and when the two new factories are opened, the total consumption of tobacco will not be affected. Seventy million cigarettes will continue to be smoked, but most of them will be manufactured in Ireland. Those who have the interests of Irish industry at heart will welcome, rather than deplore, this development. The big British or American trusts easily might have bought up all the Irish tobacco firms and might have raised the prices of their products to the level of those which are now manufactured across the Channel. As matters stand, Irish labour will benefit by the increased employment; more money will be spent in the Free State and less will go to Britain. Even the Irish tobacco manufacturers will gain through the establishment of the new factories; for the keen business methods of their competitors will stimulate them to greater efforts and will encourage them in wider enterprise. Competition never did any harm to a nation's economy, and from the point of view of the consumer, to whose interests hitherto very little regard has been paid, the new rivalry is bound to be beneficial.

The Mind of France.

France's troubles are not wholly economic. A less familiar, but startling, aspect of them is revealed in some figures which were published yesterday by the Paris Correspondent of the *Observer*. In 1913 the University of Paris had 17,500 students, including foreigners. In 1921 the number had fallen to 9,250, of whom only 7,000 were French. We gather that the figures have shown no appreciable improvement during the last sixteen months. If such a decline had occurred in the English or Irish universities, commissions would have been appointed and the national concern would have advertised itself in many ways. France has remained silent, however, because, since the Treaty of Versailles, the great problem of military security has obsessed her mind and has claimed all her energies. The Correspondent attributes the lack of university students to the cost of living and the poverty of the professional classes. For many parents, he says, the cost of keeping their sons at the university has become prohibitive. Even the foreign student is assisted only partially by the cheapness of the franc to get reasonably cheap lodgings of the degree of comfort to which he is accustomed. The State has come to the poor student's help with a scheme of "loans of honour"—to be repaid by him when he has secured his diploma and has began to practise his profession. A sum of five million francs will be devoted to this purpose. There is another scheme for the provision of a sort of residential college where students may live cheaply. A site for this *cité universitaire* has been presented to the University by the City of Paris, and M. Deutsch de la Meurthe has given ten million francs for the first buildings. It is doubtful, however, whether poverty is the whole explanation of the decline of the greatest university in France and one of the greatest in Europe. In France, at other times, as in Scotland and Ireland, poverty and learning have been congenial bedfellows. May we not find some part of the explanation in the French people's long distraction from the pursuits of peace? Thirty years ago Zola preached that practical achievement in the domain of physical science was the means by which France would recover Alsace-Lorraine. She has recovered it; but the effort has exhausted her, and now the aftermath of victory has forced upon her a further devotion to the dogmas of materialism. It is at least possible—perhaps, probable—that university students are becoming fewer because the love of learning for its own sake has been unable to flourish in conditions which have judged education to be valuable only in so far as its results have been concrete. France must not suffer her intellectual glories to be endangered. They are the noblest part of her inheritance, and she must maintain with jealous care the atmosphere which has fostered them in the past. The most important of all the results of a satisfactory and permanent settlement with Germany will be the liberation of the French genius to be once more a pioneer in the adventures of the mind.

Wembley Park.

The British are a good-tempered people, with a strong respect for law and order. British crowds are, with the possible exception of those in well-dragooned Germany, the best-humoured, the best behaved and the most easily handled in the world. There are exceptions to every rule, however, and the exception to the orderly behaviour of the British crowd came last Saturday when some thirty thousand visitors to the Cup Final between Bolton and West Ham, who either could not, or feared that they would not, get seats in the enormous stadium at Wembley, burst through the barriers and occupied the pitch on which the match was to be played. Once inside, the crowd exhibited no signs of desiring to be disorderly, but there was no question of getting the invaders out again. Packed like sardines—some one hundred and eighty thousand people in an enclosure intended to hold a hundred and twenty-five thousand—they submitted cheerfully to the efforts of the police to jam them into a compass which would allow the match to be played. The match was played, indeed, and was won by Bolton, but under circumstances that precluded either players or spectators from giving really close attention to the fine points of the game. The event has given rise to much speculation concerning similar problems in the future. A crowd of two hundred thousand spectators at a football match—what it means can be estimated when we remember that a record crowd at Lansdowne road runs to less than thirty thousand—is unprecedented. Yet in 1924 the Cup Final may summon half a million partisans to the turnstiles. Wembley Park has been built at a cost of £300,000, and the paint is hardly dry on the grand stand before it is found to be too small.

An Exile's Return.

It does not fall to the lot of many men to return to their native land and find themselves strangers in the flesh, but shapes of grandeur—as Walt Whitman puts it—in history. Such, however, is the opportunity that has been accorded to Kabarega, who was King of Bunyoro in the great days, half a century ago, when the Baganda were a fighting people and Nairobi was a native village, with no thought of becoming the capital of a great British Colony. As usual, the white men were at the bottom of poor Kabarega's troubles. He resented their coming because it interfered with his very profitable business of making slaves of less warlike neighbours and selling them to the Arabs. Kabarega, therefore, with his fellow monarch, Mwanga, King of Uganda, warred on the British and was defeated handsomely. This happened twenty-five years ago. Deported to the Seychelles, Kabarega grew old in exile—so old that he was able recently to persuade the British Government to permit him to return to Uganda and to end his days beside his native hearth. He was welcomed by the survivors of the two hundred and fifty children whom he left behind him and by their innumerable descendants. Kabarega has found Uganda a very different place, and the Baganda a far more prosperous and enlightened, though less warlike, people than when he left them. To them, however, he remains the embodiment of the glorious past; and the Baganda chiefs who assembled at Nairobi to do him homage still discuss, we may be sure, with zest and with some sense of what is due to history, the great fights and the great feasts of the brave days of old.

The right thing is to prohibit the publication of anything connected with a divorce suit except the result.—Lord Buckmaster.

When a man is asked to say "just two words" a great many more words are expected from his lips.—The French Ambassador.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of Roxburghe will leave Floors Castle this week for London, where they will remain for some time. The Marchioness of Normanby has joined the Marquis of Normanby at Mulgrave Castle, Whitby. Viscount and Viscountess Allendale, with the Hon. Mary and the Hon. Agatha Beaumont, have arrived at their London residence from Bywell Hall, Northumberland. Lady Tredegar has taken a house in Grosvenor square for the season and will arrive in London this week. The Vicomtesse de Breteuil has arrived in London on a visit to the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness Moncheur.

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The first of a series of *thés dansants* arranged by Princess Troubetskoy in aid of some Russian refugee families took place at the Hotel Cecil, London, on Saturday afternoon. The Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia and a number of distinguished guests were present.

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Viscount Younger, who was unanimously elected Chairman of the Carlton Club last week, is a well-known Scotsman, and represented Ayr Burghs in Parliament from 1906 till his elevation to the peerage. He was created a Baronet in 1911, and is a director of the National Bank of Scotland and of Lloyd's Bank, and has acted as Scottish Conservative Whip in the House of Commons. His only surviving son and heir is Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. James Younger, D.S.O., who served with distinction during the European War, in which he was wounded and was mentioned in despatches. Lord Younger's predecessor in the chairmanship was the Earl of Kintore, who acted for five years in that capacity.

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Field-Marshal Lord Grenfell, who from 1904 to 1908 was General Commanding-in-Chief the Forces in Ireland, celebrated his eighty-second birthday yesterday. He has had a distinguished career in the Army and has gained many British and foreign honours. By his second wife, who died in 1911, he has two sons and one daughter. The elder son, the Hon. Pascoe Grenfell, was seventeen last December. Lord Grenfell, who was in the South of France during the spring, is now at St. Rode, his residence near Bournemouth.

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Lord Atkinson, Sir Plunket Barton and Mr. Ronald McNeill were among the guests who were entertained at dinner by the Treasurer (Lord Carson) and the Masters of the Bench at the Middle Temple on the occasion of Grand Day in Easter Term. Twenty-seven Masters of the Bench were present.

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To-morrow the Earl of Bective, elder son and heir of the Marquis of Headfort, will attain his majority. His only brother, Lord William Taylour, is his junior by two years.

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The Earl and Countess of Bradford have been staying with the Earl and Countess of Midleton at Peper Harow, but will return to London to-day. Viscount and Viscountess Campden are visiting the Earl and Countess of Gainsborough at Exton Park, Oakham. The Hon. Lady Maxse has returned from India and has gone to York to join her husband, Lieutenant-General Sir Ivor Maxse, K.C.B., who is in command of the Northern District. The Marquis and Marchioness of Ely have arrived at Eaton square, London, from Brighton for a part of the season.

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The marriage arranged between Major Francis Yeats-Brown, D.F.C., 15th Lancers, Indian Army, son of the late Montagu Yeats-Brown, C.M.G., and Mrs. Yeats-Brown, of Portofino, Italy, and Olga Lavinia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Porter, 20 Roland Gardens, formerly of Clogher Park, Ireland, will take place to-day (Monday), very quietly, at St. Peter's, Cranley Gardens. Bride and bridegroom will leave immediately for San Giorgio, Portofino, Italy.

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The marriage arranged between Miss Fredico Aylette ter' Blanche, of Kingwilliamstown, S. Africa, and Dr. George William Doran, of Elliot, S. Africa, second son of Sir Henry Doran, 43 Palmerston road, Dublin, and of Lady Doran (deceased) will take place early in July.

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Dr. J. P. O'Connor has changed his residence to "Sydenham," Corrig avenue, Dun Laoghaire.

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MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN E. D. CORKERY AND MRS. CLAUD LINDSAY.

At the church of St. Mary Boltons, South Kensington, on 24th April, Captain E. D. Corkery, M.C., 1st Devonshire Regiment, was married to Mrs. Claud Lindsay, widow of Major Claud Lindsay, R.F.A., and elder daughter of Sir Henry and Lady Forde, of the Manor of St. John, Waterford. The bride, who was attended by her little son, George M. T. Lindsay, wearing the Lindsay tartan, wore a silver tissue frock with lace hat to match. Colonel H. Morgan Lindsay, C.B., the bride's father-in-law, gave her away, and Captain Gotto, D.S.O., Devonshire Regiment, acted as best man. The ceremony was performed by the Bishop of Cashel, assisted by the Rev. E. J. Austin, vicar of the parish.

A reception, which was largely attended, was held at the Hans Crescent Hotel by Sir Henry and Lady Forde. Captain and Mrs. Corkery left later for Pencerrig, Builth, lent by Colonel and Mrs. Morgan Lindsay.

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Departures:—Miss J. O'Callaghan, Miss G. O'Mahony, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hudson, Dr. Blewitt, Kevin Egan, Mrs. Gaussen, Miss A. Gaussen, Miss G. Smith, Mrs. C. L. Keane, Miss N. H. Langan, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Miss Betty Butler, Miss P. Butler, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Bernard Daly, Miss Daly, Mrs. R. C. Huxley, Mrs. Olley, Miss Boydell, Dr. J. D. MacCormack, Miss Phyllis Meldon, Harold J. Dallaghan, R. Hammond Morewood, H. D. B. Dobbs, B. G. Shorten, Miss Sheela Fitzpatrick, Miss Edith Irwin, R. Richmond Figgis, Miss Hazel Daly, Brian Daly, Miss D. Huxley, Mrs. Hurst, Fergus O'Connor, Joseph J. Molony, Miss H. Sweetman.

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OBITUARY.

MR. L. C. P. SMITH.

The death occurred yesterday, at his residence, Arranmore, Cavan, of Mr. Louis C. P. Smith, solicitor. Mr. Smith, who was fifty-five years of age, was a son of the late Mr. Philip Smith, of Kevitt Castle, Crossdoney, Co. Cavan, and was a solicitor by profession. He succeeded the late Mr. Hugh Kennedy as Crown Solicitor for Co. Cavan in 1910, and held that position until recently, when the Government dismissed all the Crown Solicitors in the Free State. He took a keen interest in agriculture, and was President of the Co. Cavan Agricultural Society. The funeral will take place to-morrow to Ballinagh.

MR. F. M. DRAKE.

Mr. Frederick Morris Drake, better known as Maurice Drake, novelist, glass painter and authority on old stained glass, died at Exeter yesterday morning in his forty-ninth year. He had been suffering from pneumonia for some weeks.

In addition to his novels, Mr. Drake wrote two standard volumes on old stained glass saints and their emblems, and a history of English glass painting in conjunction with his brother, Mr. Wilfred Drake. He was Hon. Secretary of the British Society of Master Glass Painters.

THE HON. MRS. ALLIX.

The death occurred at Eastbourne on Saturday of the Hon. Mrs. Charles Allix. She was the daughter of the second Baron Belper, and married Mr. Charles Allix, the Duke of Devonshire's agent for the Compton Estate, Eastbourne.

PAINTER AND ETCHER.

EXHIBITION OF WORK BY MISS ESTELLA SOLOMONS.

From to-day until May 10th Miss Solomons' interesting exhibition of pictures will be open to the public at the Studio, 26 Great Brunswick street, Dublin. Deprived this spring of the Hibernian Academy, the Dublin art-loving public nevertheless finds consolation in the individual exhibition of many artists. Miss Solomons' work is well worth seeing; she has put great feeling and expression into the type of picture which many painters leave untouched. She has the power of making something lovable out of what appears to be dull and even drab. The exhibition is made up of about thirty paintings, a dozen etchings, and half that number of woodcuts. Of the four or five portraits, that of Dr. Solomons was shown at the Academy last year; but the best is undoubtedly that of Mr. Jack Yeates, R.H.A., which is a really clever portrait; indeed, it is more than clever, for it is painted with genuine insight. There is a figure painting ("An Eating House") which is a well-composed and interesting piece of work; two men sitting at a table, with a waitress in a deep blue dress standing by, and on the table a good contrasting dash of colour in the painting of fruit. Of the landscapes and seascapes the best are, perhaps, "Rain Clouds," "Sand and Sky," an excellent study of fine blue sky with white clouds; and "Dollymount," which is possibly the best picture in the exhibition.

The etchings and woodcuts are quite charming, but do not, however, possess the same individuality as the paintings, for in them one misses Miss Solomons' fine sense of colour. In "The Lake" there is a good etching of tall trees by water, and there are two of considerable interest of Marsh's Library. There are a couple of good drawings of the older and more tumble-down part of Dublin, and a clever etching of "Seumas O'Sullivan."

Altogether Miss Solomons has achieved a good deal that is "worth while" in this exhibition, and there are many people who will not be in the least content with only one visit to the Great Brunswick street studio, while the exhibition is in progress.

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U.S. PRESIDENT AND THE PRESS.

MR. HARDING ON CRITICISM.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
WASHINGTON, Sunday.

President Harding, in an address at the first annual meeting of the American Society of Newspaper Editors yesterday, denied a widely circulated European report that an international banker had had a hand in persuading him to advocate the participation of the United States in the World Court of Justice.

"I care nothing about editorial criticism directed against an individual," he declared, "but I have read within the past forty-eight hours a very earnest editorial, wherein it was stated that the recent proposal of the Executive to the United States Senate that we should adhere to an International Court of Justice was imposed upon the Executive by the cunning and design of international bankers.

"There is not one word of truth in it. I have been President for little more than two years. I have yet to be asked for an audience by a single international banker in America or elsewhere. The only exchange of opinions between international bankers and the President of the United States has been at the request of the President, and it is fair to say they have said with just the same degree of patriotism that you would say, 'Mr. President, we are at your service—command us.'"

Speaking upon the subject of journalism, the President said:—I think the most unfortunate contribution to the disturbances of the day is the excessive publication of sensational vice. "I believe if I were to write a code for all the newspapers in America I would ban everything of a vicious character, except that which is necessary as a public warning."

The President also declared that the United States and its Convention had done more than any other country in the world towards the development of a free Press.

BRITISH AGRICULTURE.

PRODUCTION STATISTICS FOR 1922.

While the yield of the majority of crops for England and Wales was below the average for the past 10 years, the agricultural statistics for 1922 state that the potato crop was a record one. Four million and twelve thousand tons of potatoes were produced, being one million tons above that of the previous year.

The total production of milk was estimated at 1,318,000,000 gallons, and the number of cows in milk was 1,934,000. The production of eggs in England and Wales was estimated at 1,500,000,000.

Values of the output of different groups of commodities in 1922 in Great Britain are estimated as follows:—Farm crops, £47,000,000; live stock, £108,000,000; dairy produce, £77,000,000; wool, £3,250,000; poultry and eggs, £16,000,000; miscellaneous crops, £10,000,000. Total, £261,250,000.

VALUE OF ADVERTISING.

ENTERPRISE WHICH PROMISES WELL FOR FUTURE.

Speaking at the twenty-seventh anniversary gathering of the Samson Clark Service organisation in London, Mr. Samson Clark claimed that the business outlook is appreciably brighter than it was only a few months ago. British manufacturers and merchants are giving much closer attention to the selling side of their business than formerly, and the importance of advertising is being far more generally recognised.

The newspaper Press, said Mr. Samson Clark, provides a regular daily and weekly selling force that practically every business man can use to increase his output and reduce production costs. There was evidence on every hand that the houses that adopted a well-considered advertising policy were the most successful in dull seasons as well as in good times.

More optimism and more enterprise is observable in almost every direction, and these factors promise well for the coming year.

TAKEN AT RANDOM.

A community of Christians which cannot agree upon its solemn forms of worship is a coalition of discordant sects.—Sir Edward Clarke, K.C.

I was brought up to sit at the feet of Matthew Arnold and Sainte-Beuve; if I venture to mention either of them now it is only with an air of apology.—Mr. A. B. Walkley.

Civilisation has made man into a savage, and has debased the standard of behaviour.—Professor H. B. Dixon.

An Englishman's real ambition is to get a railway compartment to himself.—Mr. Ian Hay.

I would lose faith in the people of this country if they were to become reconciled to the housing conditions under which many live.—Lord Astor.

Forgive your partner seventy times seven. After that burn the account-book.—Mr. W. L. George.

There is no evidence that any single play by Shakespeare has perished.—Professor Alfred Pollard.

Let me tell the right hon. gentleman that the working classes know how to court.—Mr. Kirkwood, M.P.

There is no instance that I know of where a beer duty has been reduced.—Mr. Baldwin.

I have heard every story ever told.—Mr. Chauncey M. Depew.

Every thinker of the present day must practise himself in believing the improbable.—Mr. J. D. Beresford.

The psychologist is a great advance on the mid-Victorian phrenologist, but not, perhaps, such a great advance as he would like us to believe.—Lord Leverhulme.

Force is frequently the only remedy, but in England we usually become squeamish in the middle of the operation.—Dean Inge.

If one lady chooses to slang another it is not an international question.—Mr. McNeill, M.P.

My visit to the Dominions was not long enough to enable me really to know them, but short enough to qualify me to write a book about them.—Lord Derby.

LONDON LETTER.

MR. BONAR LAW'S HEALTH.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The news that Mr. Bonar Law's health necessitates the taking of a short sea voyage has been received with general regret, tempered with hope that, by following medical advice, he may return greatly benefited in time for the resumption of the Parliamentary sittings after the brief Whitsun recess. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, upon whom the leadership of the House devolves, is a young Minister for such a task; but, fortunately, he has shown himself adequately capable of undertaking the work. Not only is his Budget surviving the moderate attacks which have been made upon it, but in general affairs Mr. Baldwin has shown himself to be possessed of a tactful, sympathetic, and far-seeing temperament, and in his new temporary post he will have the loyal co-operation of his party and the good wishes of those who differ in political complexion.

A Sea Trip.

It is understood that Mr. Bonar Law will not be leaving London until the end of this week; but his medical advisers, Sir Thomas Horder and Dr. G. Badgerow, insist upon his departure at the earliest possible moment. Mr. Law has made no plans yet, but he has been offered a steam yacht by a supporter of the Government, and it is likely that he will accept it. A voyage is being planned to visit the Canary Islands with a cruise in the Mediterranean, but nothing definite has been settled. Mr. Law is so reluctant to leave his work that it is rather difficult to get his assent to any move; but, in view of the favourable outlook in the House of Commons for the next few weeks, he has permitted himself to be persuaded to follow the advice of the doctors. The medical men say that, if Mr. Law follows their advice, he will come back completely recovered.

Some Awkward Bills.

That the atmosphere in the House of Commons seems clear at the moment may be admitted, but there are so many important matters likely to arise in the near future that the absence of the Prime Minister is almost bound to be felt. The new reparations offer from Germany will, probably, need very close watching, while it is possible that the question of the Irish deportees may cause trouble. Then there are the Housing Bill, the Rent Restriction Bill, and the Agricultural Bill to come up for consideration, with the possibility of awkward incidents. It is thought, however, that Mr. Baldwin will prove equal to anything that may happen.

Father of the House.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor, who is the Father of the House of Commons, having sat in the House ever since 1880, and, consequently, longer than anybody else, will be given a dinner shortly by members of all parties. Mr. J. M. Hogge is acting as secretary of the movement, and the proposal includes the presentation of a testimonial to Mr. O'Connor. The Father of the House is a great favourite with all members, and there can be little doubt that the movement will meet with great success.

The King and Queen.

The King and Queen hope to spend the present week quietly at Buckingham Palace, while preparations are being made for the departure on their visit to Italy. They will leave London on Saturday and arrive in Rome on the following Monday, when they will at once begin an almost continuous round of ceremonial functions and private engagements. The visit to the Pope has been settled, and the consequent ceremonial most carefully drawn up. It is understood that the rather tiring visit to Monte Grappa, the principal point in the Italian last line of mountain defences, has been abandoned in favour of a tour of the Assiago Plain, where our troops did much of the fighting in conjunction with the Italian Army.

Reparations.

Latest advices from Berlin affirm that a German offer with regard to reparations will not be delayed longer than a few days, but no clear indication is given as to the means by which the offer will be made known. A direct offer to France is not regarded as being within the bounds of probability. It will thus be open to Paris to object both to the terms of the offer and the method of making it. Criticisms on both these points have been current in Paris during the week-end before anything is known beyond the bare expectations that an offer may be made.

The Cup Final.

The most noticeable feature with regard to the attendance at yesterday's Football Association Cup final was the comprehensive character of the spectators. From all parts of the country they came, with a strong contingent from the North of England. In the hope that their local team may be in the final, it is customary in many industrial centres to begin contributions towards an excursion to the final many months before the event is decided, and thus many football enthusiasts come from districts unconnected with the teams engaged in the match. The presence of a London team roused interest in the Metropolitan area, and, though considerable disappointment was felt at the failure of West Ham to win the coveted trophy, it was agreed that Bolton, who were making their third appearance in a Cup final, had deserved the victory.

The Stadium.

The match was for the first time played at Wembley in the Stadium of the British Empire Exhibition, which is to be held next year. It was urged at one time that the site would prove of an inaccessible character and that a less remote district could have been chosen; but yesterday's event proved that the railway and motor 'bus services have converted it into a spot which is quite easily reached from all parts of London.

The Crowd.

Its accessibility yesterday nearly brought about one of the greatest dangers that could befall such a gathering; for there was very serious possibility of a panic. It was agreed yesterday by many who were present that, if there had been many women in the crowd, the loss of life would have been severe; for men would have struggled to get their women-kind out of the fearful crush. That things went off so well speaks highly for the self-control and restraint of the people present. Those officials who telegraphed to London and stopped the despatch of further trains also deserve commendation. But those who imagined that a crowd of enthusiastic footballers were going to be kept under control by railings which gave way to mere pressure, and without an adequate force of police, must try again before Wembley can be regarded as the ideal place for a cup-tie.

A World's Record.

There is accommodation for 127,000 people, and nearly all the standing space was taken up when the gates were closed. After the pressure of the crowd outside had broken down the barriers it is officially estimated that about 100,000 people broke through, in which case the attendance of about 200,000 is easily a world's "record" for any gathering in an enclosed space.

Democracies more than any other form of Government depend for success upon the moral qualities of their individual citizens.—The Bishop of Durham.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY

PEACE PROPOSALS.

NO GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON MR. DE VALERA'S POINTS.

LABOUR'S VIEW.

TERMS "ACCEPTABLE," SAYS MR. THOMAS JOHNSON.

NO official statement has been issued by the Irish Free State Government concerning the proposals put forward by Mr. de Valera for the opening of peace negotiations.

At the Government Buildings, Merrion street, Dublin, it was stated that the Cabinet up to then had not met to consider the proposals.

Mr. O'Higgins, the Minister for Home Affairs, was confined to his room and had no interview with Press representatives on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Johnson, leader of the Labour Party in the Dail, said at Kilkenny yesterday that Mr. de Valera's six points were acceptable to him. In some respects they were what the Labour Party stood for both inside and outside the Dail. A peace by negotiation between two organised parties was to be preferred to a peace of desolation. He trusted that the Government would respond to Mr. de Valera's statement by ordering the cessation of raids and arrests by the military and C.I.D. If Mr. de Valera, as it appeared, intended to renounce his claim to act with Government authority, they need not think too seriously about the title under which he wrote.

POINTS ACCEPTABLE.

LABOUR AND MR. DE VALERA'S MANIFESTO.

Speaking at the opening of a new Trades' Hall in Kilkenny yesterday, Mr. Thomas Johnson, leader of the Labour Party in the Dail, referred to the statement which was issued last Saturday by Mr. de Valera.

A fortnight ago at Cork, said Mr. Johnson, he spoke of the importance of securing peace by negotiations between two organised forces and not a mere peace of desolation. He welcomed Mr. de Valera's pronouncement, because it showed that he was willing to return to peaceful political action. Mr. de Valera spoke for his organisation, and they might reasonably hope that his statement would mean that spasmodic action by small bodies or parties would cease, and that if individuals persisted in committing outrages they would be punished with the approval of both sides in the present conflict.

He trusted that the Government would respond to Mr. de Valera's statement, by ordering a cessation of activities—raids and arrests—by the military and C.I.D.

If operations ceased both sides could examine the position in a new light.

He did not propose to examine Mr. de Valera's six points with any degree of closeness, but he wished to say that as points in the programme of a political party they were acceptable to him; in fact, in some degree they were what the Labour Party stood for, both inside and outside the Dail. If Mr. de Valera, as it appeared, intended to renounce the claim to exercise Government authority, he (Mr. Johnson) did not think that they or anybody else would be justified in taking very much notice of the title under which Mr. de Valera made his pronouncement.

Mr. Johnson said that he "subscribed absolutely" to Mr. de Valera's fourth point, which claimed that citizens could not be justly excluded by any political oath, test, or other device, from their proper share and influence in determining national policy, or from the Councils and Parliament of the nation.

Dealing with the programme of the *Cumann na nGaedheal*, Mr. Johnston said that it was "very satisfactory from the point of view of aspiration." President Cosgrave told them that they had not solved the land question; that they had not solved the housing question, but that they would hand to their successors a National Army of which the nation might feel proud.

They had an Army of 50,000, added Mr. Johnson, which cost £10,000,000 a year. The Government had created a new problem for their successors to solve.

Mr. T. Gaffney, said that his aim was to establish a Workers' Republic. They were the only Party who had objected to the obnoxious points in the Treaty.

LONDON COMMENTS

The following are a few of the comments in English newspapers on the situation:—

Sunday Times—What de Valera invites the Free State Government to do is to accept as the basis of peace a medley of platitudes and metaphysical *dicta* on the sovereignty of States and the ultimate source of authority in Governments. The mere business of eluding all efforts to extract from him some more precise definition of what he imagines himself to be meaning would probably engage him quite happily to the day of his death. What he has really initiated is a debate, interminable and inexhaustible, on the theory of Statehood, nationhood, justice, citizenship, and all the rest of it. The Dublin authorities may very well decide that they have more important work on hand than that of arguing Constitutions with Mr. de Valera. They are more likely to regard his offer not as a foundation for peace, but as a sign that peace is coming.

Observer—We hope, whether eventually Mr. de Valera moves the whole way to the constitutional position or whether after this partial recantation he abandons his activities, that peace under law is now near at hand for Ireland. Had he made his present political discoveries a year ago, Ireland would have been saved the most wanton burthen of loss and suffering ever thrown on the shoulders of any people. No country in Europe had a surer and more enviable prospect of prosperity than Ireland at the beginning of 1922. For the clouding of so fair a future Mr. de Valera is before all responsible. He appealed to the people and they rejected him. He appealed to force and has been defeated.

Mr. Stephen Gwynn, in the *Observer*—My view of the situation is that the de Valera proposals will not be accepted, because they cannot be, but that the suspension of what is called "war" will be lasting. Mr. de Valera may probably retire from public life, putting on the British and Irish Governments all blame for a refusal to negotiate what he would regard as a reasoned peace, and leaving them to cope with the consequences. These, however, need not be very formidable.

The Star (London)—Nor need we concern ourselves too much over the "certain terms" on which the armistice is offered or requested. De Valera always loved words—more, it has sometimes seemed, for the lovely noise they made in his own mouth than for the meaning, if any, which they conveyed to the audience addressed. There is talk in the "conditions" about the "inalienable sovereign rights of States," and the necessity of safeguarding the rights of "the people." The vague largeness of these terms has, in the past, made their use a curse in negotiations with Irish hotheads; they can be twisted to the absurdest extremes. But they can also, in emergency, be narrowed to whatever the negotiator is willing to agree to, so under cover of the flourish of them we may this time be able to come to a real peace. God send it!

Evening Standard (London)—The so-called proclamation, issued, by the way, in Dublin and under the nose of the Free State Government, from Mr. de Valera as "President of the Republic," and from the Commander of the "Irish Republican Army" to its commands and brigades, is welcome in so far as it means a kind of surrender. In all other respects it is preposterous and insulting. Public opinion will certainly expect the Free State Government not to treat with people who suggest conditions wholly at variance with the spirit of its Constitution.

EXCAVATIONS AT ROME.

FOUNDATIONS OF CITY LAID 3,100 YEARS AGO.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Sunday.

Archæological discoveries by Professor Dail Osso on and around Monte Mario indicate that Rome was founded thirty-one hundred years ago, according to the Professor. He declares that he has found evidences of a Pelasgian race passing over the Alban and Palatine hills, uniting with warring and industrial tribes called Abongeni, and occupying the other Roman hills to found the city.

The Government is furnishing money to continue the excavations, which would refute the date given by the Roman historian Varro for the founding of the city. Varro's date is 754 B.C. Professor Dail Osso says that the date should be in the twelfth century B.C.

BANK OFFICIALS ROBBED.

A DONEGAL OUTRAGE.

Two officials of the National Bank and Ulster Bank at Killybegs, Co. Donegal, were stopped when motoring to Kilcar fair by armed men on Thursday, and deprived of the money that they were conveying to the sub-branches. Some reports put the total amount lost at £1,600, while others place it at £600.

AN UNHEALTHY ARMY.

Statistics recently published in Madrid show a large increase in the deaths and sickness in the Spanish Army, quite apart from those consequent upon the Moroccan campaign and its accompanying casualties. During the period 1912-1921 sickness has increased from 3.49 to 7.06 cases per 1,000 soldiers in the ranks, and deaths from 3.32 to 9.13 per 1,000.

CONSERVATIVE WORKINGMEN.

Presiding at the conference of Conservative Clubs in Nottingham last Saturday, Sir Herbert Nield, K.C., M.P., urged that more Conservative workingmen should be put forward as candidates at the next General Election. It was a libel on the working classes to say that their true representatives were the shrieking dervishes from Glasgow.

Sir Herbert suggested that the law should be amended so that trade unionists could withhold subscriptions when the funds of their union were used for the dissemination of political poison which the members ignored.

STUDENT STOWAWAY.

A student named Gordon Moss, aged twenty, walked from California to New York and became a stowaway on the liner Adriatic, which arrived in Liverpool a week ago. Third-class passengers collected subscriptions and paid his passage to Liverpool. The immigration authorities, however, ordered his return to New York on the Adriatic, which sailed on Saturday. On Friday it was discovered that Moss had escaped from the White Star liner boarding-house and disappeared.

PICTURES BY AEROPLANE

A LONDON TRIBUTE.

There were many references in the London Press to the *Irish Times* Special Aeroplane which brought the Pictures of the Royal Wedding to Dublin. *The Star*, in its "Diary" Columns on Friday, said:—

"Even the Irish Free State must have Pictures of the Royal Wedding, and as the only way of getting the Photographs to Dublin in time for To-day's Paper was by Aeroplane, they went by Aeroplane, arriving safely after a rough passage over the Irish Sea at 7.30 p.m. My congratulations to the enterprising Courier of the *Irish Times*."

AGENT'S EXPENSES.

HEARING OF BERWICK ELECTION PETITION.

At the resumed hearing of the election petition against Captain Hilton Philipson, National Liberal member for Berwick-on-Tweed, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, Mr. Cecil Whiteley, K.C., for the respondent, said that there was no doubt that Mr. Boal, the agent, had been guilty of the offence of not presenting a true return of expenses. The agent, when he found that the expenses were exceeded, ought to have applied to the Court for relief at the time.

Counsel submitted that the agent was inexperienced, and that he had been appointed in a "terrific rush," when the Carlton Club meeting made it impossible for Captain Philipson to have the services of the agent, whose assistance he previously had. The agent's offence was the only one committed at the election.

Mr. Justice Sankey said that the Court would have to consider whether they had power to relieve for a corrupt practice on the part of an election agent.

THE LATE MR. GINNELL.

BODY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

The body of Mr. Laurence Ginnell, the seventy-year-old envoy of the Irish Republicans, was landed at Plymouth yesterday, having been brought home from New York, where he died suddenly, for interment at Westmeath. Mrs. Alice Ginnell accompanied her husband's body.

The body of Mr. Ginnell arrived in London last night. It will rest in the Church of Corpus Christi, Maiden lane, Strand, until this morning, when, after a short Service, it will be conveyed from Euston Station for interment in Ireland. The remains will arrive at Westland row at 6 p.m. to-day, and will be taken to the Carmelite Church, Aungier street. On Tuesday the funeral will leave for Clonarney, Delvin, County Westmeath.

INDIAN SALT TAX AGITATION.

SIMLA, Sunday.

The agitation against the certification of the salt tax continues. Two native members of the Legislative Assembly have resigned their seats, declaring that the Viceroy's exercise of his extraordinary privileges constitutes an abuse of constitutional law.—(Reuter.)

LIBERALISM'S TASK.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S PROGRAMME.

THREE GREAT DANGERS TO LIBERTY.

Mr. Lloyd George had a great reception when he addressed a largely-attended meeting of Liberals in the Free Trade Hall, Manchester, on Saturday, and expounded a social programme, which he declared it was the duty of Liberals to advocate. The Lancashire and Cheshire Federation of Young Liberals was responsible for the organisation of the meeting. Mr. Harry Seddon, President of the Lancashire and Cheshire Federation of Young Liberals, presided.

I have come here, Mr. Lloyd George said, just to give my view of the task of Liberalism. I am one of those referred to by the chairman, most of whose life is behind him. You are Young Liberals whose life is in front of you, and Young Liberals are asking the question everywhere: Has Liberalism any mission which makes it worth our while to dedicate our lives to it, or have we to seek in other parties and in other ideals something to which we can give toil, energy, and sacrifice?

The answer to that depends, first of all upon the question, what is Liberalism? I am not here to speak as a party leader—the leader of a group or section, or whatever you choose to call it. I have come here as a Liberal to make my contribution. Liberalism is not a proprietary medicine sold in bottles with only one label—(laughter)—in shops duly licensed and by agents properly authorised. It is broader, wider, something that belongs to us all, and we have a right to express our views with regards to its future and to the course which it ought to pursue. I have always had one view of Liberalism. There is a very distinguished citizen of this great city who has said—"Liberalism is an attitude or a mood which finds expression now and again in programmes." I do not dispute that. I accept it, and I can only give the attitude of mind and the mood which represented always my view of Liberalism. I put it in one simple sentence: fair play for the under dog. (Cheers.) Not scientific, not exhaustive, but if you will apply that to the Liberalism of the last generation you see how it works out. My first recollection of the Liberal battle is of a fight for two things: a fight for equality—religious equality—for the Nonconformist peasant in our country, and, secondly, a fight for rights of citizenship for those who were disinherited, men who had no voice in the making of laws which they had to obey, the imposition of burdens which they had to bear.

GERMINATING PEACE.

Turning to the record of Liberalism, Mr. Lloyd George said:—We are concerned with the future, but it is what Liberalism has done in the past that is the guarantee of what it can do in the future. In the future, he continued, its great task was to remedy the evils of modern industrialism. But before they could touch that problem the first great problem of Liberalism was to overthrow the tyranny of the sword. The sword was the sceptre of wrong. Unless war, the spirit of war, the temper of war, the acknowledgment of the expedience of war as a tribunal, were torn out of the minds of men, the future filled him with dread.

It was of no use talking of redressing evils, for if there were another war it would be such a war that even those who were in the last could not conceive, and civilisation would be hurled into depths from which it would have painfully to crawl out. The first duty of Liberalism was to germinate peace.

The workmen did not make war, yet there were 1,300,000 men and women who were walking to the registry office at the present moment to bid for an opportunity of working for their daily bread.

"A system which condemns millions without fault of their own," said the ex-Prime Minister with emphasis, "men who live sober, decent, industrious lives, that condition in itself is organised blasphemy."

Up to 1909, he went on, the old political parties in this country never made provision for such contingencies that any self-respecting person could touch. "You can understand why the other party has sprung up, and why it has grown up so rapidly. We have a good deal to make up for."

What has been done was not enough, and they had to convince people that they really needed to get rid of such conditions.

"Capital has been made for people and not man for labour," Mr. Lloyd George declared, "and if we were convinced evils of that kind were inseparable from the present order I would take to the crowbar myself." (Cheers.)

DANGERS TO LIBERTY.

Having spoken of housing and the needs of agriculture, Mr. Lloyd George spoke of the waste of coal and the waste caused by drink, and declared:—"Liberalism has a special duty to protect liberty against all foes, hidden or open. There are three dangers to liberty that you can see arising. The first is Protection. If there is to be a fight about Free Trade, let us clear the deck. If there is to be a fight for Free Trade, let us go forward as a united party." (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

Then there were Socialism and Fascism. "Socialism would enslave Labour for its own benefit, its own advantage. Liberalism has made London free, and it is its business to keep Labour free." (Cheers.)

LINER'S MISSING BOATS.

BRITISH WARSHIP JOINS IN SEARCH.

CAPE TOWN, Saturday.

His Majesty's gunboat Dwarf, which is at present at Lobito Bay, has been instructed to render all possible assistance in the search for the missing boats of the liner Mossamedes.—(Reuter.)

BRITISH BETTING TAX.

PERSONNEL OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Select Committee of the House of Commons which is to consider the question of imposing a tax on betting is to consist of nineteen members. Those already appointed on the Committee are:—

Unionists—Mr. H. S. Cautley, K.C. (chairman), Lord Stanley, Mr. J. D. Cassells, K.C.; Sir Alfred Butt, Mr. G. Rentoul, Sir Berkeley Sheffield, Mr. L. Forestier-Walker, Sir George Hamilton, and Sir Leonard Brassey.

Labour—Mr. W. Graham, Mr. Morgan Jones, Mr. D. R. Grenfell, and Mr. Cecil Wilson.

National Liberals—Sir Henry Norman and Sir Beddoe Rees.

Independent Liberals—Mr. Isaac Foot and Mr. A. Lyle-Samuel.

Sir Berkeley Sheffield and Sir Leonard Brassey are members of the Jockey Club.

PRAYERS FOR RAIN.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Prayers for rain were offered in the Protestant churches throughout Victoria to-day.—(Reuter.)

BAVARIAN FASCISTI.

BERLIN, Sunday.

The great May Day demonstration which the Socialists proposed to hold in Munich has been forbidden by the Bavarian authorities on the ground that it would be likely to lead to collisions with Dr. Hitler's Fascisti, who have sworn not to allow Soviet banners to be carried in the streets, as was arranged by the Socialists. May Day will be kept as a holiday by workmen.—(Reuter.)

GOSPORT'S WAR MEMORIAL.

Gosport's War Memorial Hospital, which is also the war memorial of the Portsmouth Division of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, was opened on Saturday afternoon by Major-General Sir John Davidson, M.P. for South Hampshire. The hospital has cost £35,000, and £46,000 has been subscribed, leaving £11,000 for an endowment fund. Officers and men of the Royal Marine Light Infantry have helped the fund very considerably.

FOOTBALL FINAL

CROWDS BREAK THE BARRIERS.

1,000 CASUALTIES.

MOUNTED POLICE CALLED IN AT WEMBLY.

There were wild scenes at the final of the English Football Association Cup at the new ground at Wembley, on the outskirts of London, on Saturday. The barriers were broken down; the crowd rushed into the enclosure without paying, invaded the playing field, and delayed the start of the game by three-quarters of an hour. The match was won by Bolton Wanderers, who defeated West Ham by 2 goals to nil.

It is estimated that the crowd numbered 200,000—a record for any outdoor sporting event. Of these, over 100,000 entered the ground without paying.

REMARKABLE SCENES.

"ONLY 1,000 CASUALTIES."

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Sunday.

"The most sensational cup final in history." That is what everybody said to everybody else over and over again. It would, perhaps, be an exaggeration to say that Wembley Park on Saturday was turned into a battlefield, but as the stretcher-bearers bore the seeming corpses one after another through the crowd and out of the ground, it looked considerably more like a battlefield than like a football field.

Nowhere but in England—perhaps, nowhere but in London—would it have been possible to have had so many of the elements of a riot without the riot itself actually taking place. There were only 1,000 casualties on Saturday. That is really a great tribute to everybody.

Looking over towards one of the two-shilling stands, one saw that men were tumbling like sheep over the barriers, and tussling with a handful of policemen, who tried in vain to keep them from seizing upon seats that did not belong to them. Other police hurried up and, though they could not drive the invasion back, at least prevented it from becoming any worse.

The people who leaped over the barriers were to a great extent innocent people. After all, human beings were pouring down upon them from behind like a score of Alpine torrents. Other parts of the ground found the example infectious, and on all sides the crowd could be seen leaping over the barriers as easily as a high tide leaps over a breakwater on a stormy day—and as they leaped others leaped on their backs, and drove them to the very touch-line.

It was plain by this time that something extraordinary had happened, and rumours from the outside spoke of furious crowds that had found the gates closed and had broken them down.

A crash overhead made the people in the covered stand look up, and told them that one bold invader had even got on to the roof. He had fallen through, the brave fellow, and we could see his legs kicking from the waist downwards. The crowd in the stands were now yelling their opinion of the crowd on the field at the top of 127,000 voices.

Into the black sea on the grass blue policemen, hurried up from London, began to insinuate themselves; the crowds on the stands loudly cheering them, and whirling their rattles. But by this time no one any longer believed that the ground could be cleared by foot police.

Then the first horse policeman arrived. Had he been Steve Donoghue bringing in a winner of the Derby he could not have been received with such a pandemonium of yells and rattles.

When King George arrived and appeared in his red box it was as though a temporary truce had been declared between the party of law and the party of disorder, and "God Save the King" roared from the throng.

Immediately afterwards, however, the war was renewed with increased vigour, and as the horsemen swept on to the field the more timid spirits on the outskirts began to drift away under the arches and to make for home. Even so, the field still remained black with people, and as one section of the crowd retreated before the teeth and the tails of the horses another section flowed in and took its place.

There was one policeman on a white horse who was a perfect genius, and who could himself keep a crowd of at least a thousand moving.

The foot police now began to take the crowd in sections. Just as people were wondering whether the Cup final could be played at all the teams came out into the thick of the mob, and the crowd, though it made a narrow laneway for them, slapped every man of them enthusiastically on the back as he made his way through on his way to be introduced to the King.

At length the crowd on one side of the field was driven back to the touch line, and, amid a wild tumult of cheers, the man on the white horse rode among the mob like a god of victory, and even butted people out of the net behind the goal posts. Slowly, but surely, chains of police were pressing back other sections of the crowd—north, east, and west—off the field of play.

Then, wonder of wonders was seen, the captains meeting in the middle of the field for the toss, and, amid a tumult of yells, rattles, and noises, for which there are no words in the English language, it became evident that the toss had been won by Bolton Wanderers.

As for the football that followed, how mild a game it seemed after so sensational a prologue!

Over nine hundred people received treatment from the Red Cross ambulance men. Most of the serious cases were fractured ribs, due to the great crush. Twenty-two cases were taken to Willesden Hospital, but only twelve were detained.

BLESSED TERESA.

BEATIFICATION CEREMONY OF THE "LITTLE FLOWER."

ROME, Sunday.

The first ceremony of Beatification under the present Pontificate, that of the Carmelite nun, Sister Teresa of Lisieux, the "Little Flower," is remarkable for the fact that Sister Teresa died only in 1897, whereas beatification seldom takes place until centuries after death. The ceremonies were marked by a return to the splendour which formally characterised these celebrations. Nothing was wanting of colour, light and beauty to impress the spectator.

The ceremony took place in the apse of the Basilica, where the huge surrounding columns were draped with gold-fringed, crimson brocade hangings, and thousands of glittering lights shone on the rich robes of the Cardinals, the many-coloured uniforms of the Papal soldiers, and crimson costumes of the bearers of the Sedia Gestatoria, in which the Pope was carried into St. Peter's. An illuminated picture of Sister Teresa, with accompanying pictures of two miracles attributed to her, proofs of which are required before beatification, and a statue of St. Teresa of Spain, after whom Sister Teresa was named, and whose mystical spirituality was reflected in the young nun's short life, were displayed in the Basilica.

A procession having been formed, the Pope was carried through an immense crowd to venerate the newly beatified. After a short religious Service, the procession was re-formed, and the Pope was carried through the crowd to the Chapel of Michael Angelos Pieta, where he descended from the chair, returning through the Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament to his private apartment.—(Reuter.)

IRISH REPUBLICAN DELEGATES IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, Sunday.

The Irish agitators, Father O'Flanagan and Mr. O'Kelly, addressed a thousand Communists here to-day, and a collection was taken in spite of the prohibition of the Government.—(Reuter.)

NORTHERN BORDER REGULATIONS.

CONCESSION TO TRADERS.

NO SUNDAY MOTORING.

The Customs officials at Monaghan are beginning to have a busy time, our Monaghan Correspondent writes. Dutiable merchandise is now making its appearance, but everything is proceeding satisfactorily. All traffic is dealt with expeditiously, and with the minimum of inconvenience to the public.

An important concession for certain traders near the border is announced. Up to now purveyors of bread in northern towns adjacent to the frontier could not cross the border to sell bread without first coming to the Customs headquarters at Monaghan. It was thought that this regulation would result in killing the trade. The regulation also applies to certain other goods for sale. A decision has now been reached whereby traders crossing the border from the northern area to sell bread and certain other merchandise shall report in the beginning to the Monaghan headquarters, where they can obtain a certificate which will enable them to cross the frontier at any time, provided they carry with them and produce to the Customs outposts on the frontier authenticated forms properly completed. Then can then be dealt with by the officials at the outposts, and will be spared the trouble of reporting at the headquarters station.

Another important point is that motors are prohibited from crossing the frontier on Sundays under penalty of forfeiture.

MISS ELLIS'S ORDEAL.

PERSONAL ACCOUNT OF ABDUCTION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ALLAHABAD, Saturday.

Stories are coming in from the frontier showing the great courage and grit displayed by Miss Mollie Ellis during her carrying off and captivity by the tribesmen of the North-West frontier She has reconstructed the story of her abduction, tracing the gang's route through ravines and tracks intimately known to the miscreants' leader, Ajab.

Ajab's plans for the murder of Mrs. Ellis and the carrying off of Miss Ellis were laid with boldness and cunning, and were carried out with such meticulous care that it is no wonder that the searchers met with no success. Knowing that the passes had been closed, Ajab abandoned the well-known routes and staked all on secrecy.

Miss Ellis says that she realised that passes and beaten tracks were shunned because of the plague. The gang travelled over solitary wastes and deserted hills, trusting no one. On the night of the 17th Ajab's dwelling was reached, after a journey of seventy miles in the wild mountainous country.

The girl was dragged along by her captors, her flagging steps hastened by threats and hustling. Only once, when with bruised and bleeding feet, did she falter. This was when crossing a pass where the snow still lay. Here she was overcome by fatigue and the intense cold. She was wearing only her nightdress and a coat stained with the blood of her murdered mother. When she hesitated one of the gang drew a dagger and threatened to kill her if she did not continue the journey.

Through the long-drawn agony of the march, threatened and jostled by murderers, tied by each arm to members of the gang when sleeping, this wonderful girl's uncrushable spirit stood firm and unbroken. At Khuli Khan she wrote to her friends who were working for her release letters, which are an example of heroic fortitude. Her sentences were concise and business-like. She set forth her captors' demands, and expressed her gratitude to those striving to help her. There was no querulous note.

In one letter, as if by an after-thought, she wrote:—"Do not delay your efforts. These men will stick at nothing. They continually threaten to kill me."

ANTI-AEROPLANE RADIO.

A STARTLING STORY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

French aviation investigators in Germany report that the Germans have discovered a radio process which forces aircraft, however powerful, to land. The first successful operation of this new radio miracle was performed last month in the vicinity of Berlin by the Siemen's manufacturing experts.

Serious alarm is being felt in French circles at this news, which vitiates every effort towards the development of France's chief weapon in aviation. The waves used for stopping the aeroplane motors are described as waves of extraordinary potency, and special quality.

REVENUE FROM CASINOS.

LARGE SUMS TO RELIEVE FRENCH TAXPAYERS.

PARIS, Saturday.

Official statistics show that during 1922 the 128 casinos in France contributed a total of 109,868,921 francs in taxes to the State and to the local authorities. The State received 59,352,000 francs. The casino at Nice headed the list with 19,530,000 francs, Deauville coming next with 17,000,000 francs.—(Reuter.)

SHOTS AT SOLDIERS.

TWO ATTACKS IN DUBLIN.

Private Bernard Mackie, of the National Army, who was in mufti, was fired at near the home of his mother, 28 Upper Abbey street, Dublin, last night at about 10 o'clock by three young men. He escaped without injury, although five shots were fired at close range.

The soldier had reached the house No. 27, when the three men stepped out from the doorway, and, drawing revolvers, confronted him. He was unarmed, and when fire was opened ran towards his mother's house, which he reached just as the fifth shot was fired.

Private Mackie remained under cover for a short time. When he looked out he saw his assailants running at top speed some distance away. He reported the occurrence to the military guard on the *Irish Independent*, and a patrol was sent out.

The house, 27 Upper Abbey street, was raided without result.

Shortly after some shots were fired at two military patrols in the same area. The troops suffered no casualties, and the attackers escaped.

MOTOR CAR IN COLLISION.

THREE MEN DEAD; FOUR SERIOUSLY INJURED.

At Bradford on Saturday night a motor cab, with six Bradford passengers returning from a football match at Liversedge, collided with a tramway standard, with the result that the driver, Fred Cyrah, 20, and a passenger, Harry Bean, 21, labourer, were killed; while another of the party, Dan Maud, 48, also a labourer, died in hospital yesterday morning. Four other injured men, all of them labourers, were removed to hospital, suffering from serious injuries. Their names are: William Hird, John Bromley, [illegible] Downey, and Herbert Wade.

The scene of the accident was at the foot of a long hill, in the Caisterdyke district, which ends in a fairly sharp curve to the left. The cab apparently dashed across the curve, crashing into the tramway standard on the off side of the road, where it was smashed to bits.

M. CLEMENCEAU'S HEALTH.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

Friends of M. Clemenceau are anxious as to the health of the veteran statesman. The death of Madame Sarah Bernhardt shocked "the Tiger" deeply, as they were old friends, and dined together once or twice weekly.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

MR. BONAR LAW

TO BE ABSENT FOR A MONTH

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Mr. Bonar Law has already left London, to begin his holiday and period of complete rest, which the doctors assure him are the only things necessary to ensure a permanent cure of his throat trouble. He will leave England either to-day or to-morrow, and will be away for about a month.

It has been suggested that the Prime Minister might make his sea trip in a yacht lent him by one of his supporters, but this will not be the case.

THE GERMAN OFFER.

A FORECAST.

In a message from Berlin yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—The Government is expected to complete the draft of its reparation offer to the Allies after the series of conferences between the Chancellor and the party leaders to-morrow. A meeting between the Chancellor and the Premiers of the Federal States is to be held in Berlin on Tuesday, and it is understood that the offer will be dispatched immediately afterwards.

There seems no reason to doubt the common view that the offer will follow very closely the lines of the so-called Bergmann scheme. This proposed twenty milliard gold marks (£1,000,000,000) down, to be raised by way of an international loan, and two further instalments, nominally of five milliards each, at later dates, the actual amount to be determined by an international Committee of experts, on which Committee Germany should have both representation and the power to vote.

The proposal involves the guarantee of the German industrialists, and would envisage some form of mutual disarmament on the part of Germany and France. By the new offer, therefore, the Bergmann scheme will be brought officially to the notice of the various Allied Governments concerned for the first time.

PRINCE IN BELGIUM.

A GRATEFUL TASK.

The Times, in a leading article upon the Prince of Wales's visit to Belgium, which it describes as a brilliant success, observes:—The programme would have proved exhausting to most men, but the Prince has a happy facility in the discharge of his onerous public duties which enables him to get through them with unfailing success. His task on this occasion was particularly grateful to him. Nothing, he said, could have been more agreeable to him than to take a personal part in the national tribute which England has been proud to pay to the heroic Belgian people.

The fine statue which he asked the King of the Belgians—himself a hero—to accept is primarily a token of "the deep and unchanging gratitude" which we feel towards them for the succour they gave our prisoners of war and our wounded. "The fruits of their loving kindness will abide for ever," as the inscription on its base proclaims. But those two graven soldiers, standing side by side in the busiest part of Brussels, are symbols of much more than our thankfulness for generous compassion shown our countrymen. They speak our gratitude for other and for rare virtues. They witness our thanks to Belgium for the sublime example she set all free and civilised peoples in the defence of freedom and of civilisation.

THE CRUSH IN THE STADIUM.

BETTER PREPARATIONS NEEDED.

Commenting editorially upon the scenes at Wembley Stadium on the occasion of the Cup final on Saturday, *The Times* remarks:—Though it is a matter for satisfaction that the results of the overcrowding were not more serious and that its victims on the whole behaved in a sensible manner, there must be no possibility of its repetition. For the moment we need not enter into the question of fixing the responsibility, which the governing body of the Football Association has disclaimed. Whoever actually was responsible was confronted in new surroundings with a task which for an undertaking of its kind was of unprecedented magnitude. However careful their preliminary calculations and arrangements, there was always the chance of their being upset by the unforeseen. That, in fact, is what happened.

For various reasons the army of spectators who came to Wembley by train and omnibus and motor coach was greater even than the most lavish forecast published in the Press. The wish to see the widely-advertised Stadium, the natural desire to cheer a London club on to victory, and the belief that there would be room for everyone attracted a far larger crowd than has ever before been compressed into a similar space. It may be that the same crush may never be seen again. But in case it should the authorities must be prepared for it. It is the least which the public will demand. The Football Association has itself before now heavily fined a club guilty of a similar want of preparation.

PROHIBITION LAWS.

OFFICIALS SENT TO PRISON.

The Times New York Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—Fifty-five men and women, most of them officers of Lake Country or the City of Gary, Indiana, were yesterday sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from one day to a year and a-half, and to pay fines as high as £400, for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Mayor Johnson, of Gary, received the maximum sentence and was ordered to pay the highest fine. The City Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of Gary got sentences of a year and a day, and were fined £200. The former Sheriff of Lake Country, who is now Chairman of the Gary Board of Public Works, suffered a like penalty.

INDIAN BANK FAILURE.

INTEREST IN LONDON.

In its City Notes *The Times* says:—The closing of the doors of the Alliance Bank of Simla, though not unexpected in many quarters, was, nevertheless, the chief subject of discussion in the City on Saturday. The London Money Market is interested in the failure in various ways, and there were many expressions of regret that the efforts of Sir David Yule, who became Chairman without remuneration only ten months ago, had not been successful in solving the Bank's difficulties.

There have fortunately been very few failures of Anglo-Indian banks, though failures of purely native banks have been numerous.

DEATH OF LORD CAREW.

THE NEW PEER.

The Times announces the death, at his London residence yesterday, of Lord Carew. Born in 1860, he succeeded his father in 1881 as third Baron in the Peerage. Lady Carew died last year, leaving no children.

The title passes to the late Peer's brother, George Patrick John Carew.

MADAME GONNE McBRIDE.

Mrs. Despard, speaking at a meeting in Sackville street, Dublin, yesterday, said that Madame Gonne McBride, who had been released from Kilmainham Jail on Thursday night after a prolonged hunger-strike, was making "hourly progress." She had been removed from the prison on a stretcher, in an extremely weak condition, and taken to her home, where she lies at present.

MINE OUTRAGES.

TWO BIG EXPLOSIONS.

RAILWAY PASSENGERS IN DANGER.

The central signal cabin, situated at the end of the platform at Amiens street Railway Station, Dublin, was almost entirely destroyed by a mine explosion shortly before ten o'clock on Saturday night. Passengers leaving Dublin by the 9.50 o'clock train for Drogheda had a terrifying experience. Their carriages were passing the cabin just as the explosion occurred, and many of the occupants received superficial injuries from flying fragments of the carriage windows which were smashed by the masonry and woodwork of the cabin.

Three young men were observed sitting on a seat on the Howth line platform about half an hour before the explosion occurred, with what appeared to be a large brown paper parcel beside them. Just before the 9.50 train left they walked towards the end of the platform, near which the cabin stood.

Three men entered the cabin at about 9.50. Producing revolvers, they ordered the man in charge to leave, and accompanied him for some distance along the permanent way towards Clontarf. They placed Mr. Carr, the signalman, in charge of some other men, and returned to the signal cabin, put a land mine in it, and retreated. The military sentries became suspicious, and the guard was turned out and opened fire on the men. At the same moment a deafening explosion occurred, and the signal cabin was almost wrecked.

TRAIN STRUCK BY FRAGMENTS.

The train, carrying about 200 passengers for Drogheda and intermediate stations, was just passing the cabin at the time of the explosion, and several of the carriages at the rear were struck by fragments of brick and woodwork, which were hurled with tremendous force. No less than thirty panes of glass in the compartments were blown to bits, and about seventeen passengers were struck with flying fragments. About ten of them were badly cut about the face. Some young women and a soldier were among the injured. Others threw themselves flat on the floors of the carriages.

The train proceeded as far as Clontarf, where it pulled up, and the passengers, who were greatly excited, got out. The stationmaster sent for Surgeon-Major Healy and Dr. Walker, and also called the Corporation ambulance. It was found, however, that the injured passengers had only superficial wounds, although some were bleeding a good deal. One young woman had received a rather deep cut over the rigt eye, but no one had to be removed to hospital.

The stationmaster communicated with stations further along the line, so that medical assistance might be available if necessary when the train reached them. Three of the wounded passengers alighted at Portmarnock and seven at Balbriggan, but the names of any of them could not be ascertained.

The military at Clontarf stopped and searched all vehicles passing along the Malahide road after the explosion.

AN EXCHANGE OF RIFLE FIRE.

The 9.30 p.m. train from Howth arrived at Clontarf while the Drogheda and Dublin train was stationary there, and Mr. Walker, outdoor superintendent of the line, who was a passenger, went to Amiens street on an engine to make an investigation. On returning he had the train run into the main arrival platform owing to the dislocation of the levers in the signal cabin.

When the military fired on the three young men, who were running along the permanent way towards Clontarf, revolver and rifle fire was opened by men who had got on to roofs of some of the railway sheds and buildings in Amiens street.

Lieutenant-Smith, of the Railway Transport Department, during the exchange of shots, went on to the line with a rifle and had a narrow escape, a bullet striking a brick about an inch above his head. A soldier was struck in the thumb of the left hand by a ricochetting bullet. The object apparently of the men on the housetops was to cover the retreat of the three men whom the guard had fired on, as the firing ceased when these men had escaped.

The cabin, which is described as a key signal cabin, was one of the largest in the country, and contained 125 levers, which were used for controlling the points for the Great Northern Railway, the Great Southern and Western Railway, and the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway when these companies' trains are passing through the station.

The platform and the line at the station yesterday showed evidence of the force of the explosion. There was much broken glass and wood and brick scattered around. The clock in the signal box, which was put out of action, indicated the hour as 9.55. The glass of the face was unbrokn.

It was stated yesterday that the explosion will cause little, if any, interruption to the railway services.

The portion of the cabin that was most seriously damaged was pulled down yesterday afternoon by means of an engine and chain hawser.

The damage is estimated at between £5,000 and £6,000.

COSTLY OUTRAGE IN RATHMINES.

DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT WRECKED.

The extensive drapery establishment of Messrs. Edward Lee and Co., Rathmines, were badly injured by a mine explosion yesterday morning. The damage is estimated at between £15,000 and £20,000. One or two of the assistants, who were in the residential portion of the building, suffered from slight cuts, caused by broken pieces of glass, but, fortunately, no one was seriously injured. One assistant, a young man, had just left his room to attend Mass when the explosion took place. He had a lucky escape, as his bed was twisted out of shape by the force of the explosion.

Messrs. Lee's premises formed a handsome modern building on the principal thoroughfare of Rathmines. The house was three-storey high, built in 1910, and had only recently been redecorated. Now not a window remains intact, and every floor has been damaged.

At a quarter-past nine o'clock the residents were alarmed by a frightful explosion that shook some of the houses, and was heard distinctly in the centre of the city and as far away as Dundrum.

It appears that at least three men actually took part in the outrage, while a fourth, who presumably drove them to within a short distance of the shop in a stolen taxi-car, waited for their return. Three young men were seen coming along Rathmines road by a police constable on "point" duty near the shop. Two of them walked over to the constable, and, with revolvers drawn, ordered him to leave. The other man smashed one of the large plate glass windows of the establishment on the Rathmines road side of the entrance, and placed a mine inside. The men then ran towards Grosvenor road, in the direction of Harold's Cross, apparently with the intention of getting into the taxi-car, but something seems to have gone amiss with the car, for it was afterwards found abandoned, and was taken possession of by the military. This car, it is stated, was seized from a driver at Clondalkin on the previous day, and belongs to the A. and B. Taxis, Ltd.

SHOP BLOWN OUT.

Scarcely had the men disappeared when the mine exploded, carrying away the whole of

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Having regard to the prevalence of robbery, with violence, and other similar crimes where the aid of firearms is relied upon by criminals, the Executive Council has authorised the Minister for Home Affairs to receive and consider applications for arms, and permits for same, from persons permanently resident in the Dublin Metropolitan Police District, and to grant such applications on whatever conditions he may consider reasonably applicable on examination of each case.

The following conditions will apply in all cases:—

1. Lodgment of £5 (three pounds) for a revolver and supply of ammunition. Lodgment to be forfeited in the event of (a) loss of weapon, (b) improper use, (c) failure to keep in good condition.
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All applicants must furnish sufficient guarantee to establish bona fides. These may take the form of recommendations from Teachtai Dala, Senators, Clergy, Government Officials, etc.

Applications should be addressed to the Minister for Home Affairs, and marked "Personal." They may be handed in at Government Buildings, Upper Merrion street.

Caoimhghín O'Higgins,
Rúnaidhe.

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The Irish Times.

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Three young men placed a powerful mine in the shop of Messrs. Edward Lee and Co., Rathmines road, Dublin, on Sunday morning, and the explosion tore away the front of the building and damaged several other houses in the street.

A mine which was placed in a signal cabin on the Great Northern Railway at Amiens street Terminus on Saturday night blew out the front of the structure, and passengers whose train was leaving for Drogheda were injured by flying pieces of glass and woodwork.

The Government has issued no statement concerning Mr. de Valera's peace manifesto. Mr. Thomas Johnson approves Mr. de Valera's six points.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Lloyd George outlined a Liberal programme at a great meeting which he addressed on Saturday in Manchester. The great task that lay before them was the overthrow of the tyranny of the sword and the remedying of the evils of modern industrialism.

There were remarkable scenes at Wembley on Saturday, when the English Football Cup final was watched by a crowd of 200,000. The barriers were rushed, and the spectators invaded the playing field.

ABROAD.

Aeroplanes can be brought down by a wireless invention in use in Germany.

SPORTING.

At the Phoenix Park on Saturday Captain Dixon's Glendun won the Loder Plate.

At Sandown Park Southampton won the Grand International Handicap Steeplechase.

Tobacco and Industry.

The news that Messrs. W. D. and H. O. Wills, Limited, have acquired premises for a factory in Dublin, and that Messrs. John Player and Sons are likely to follow suit, has revived interest in the tobacco controversy. The brands of tobacco and cigarettes which are manufactured by these two firms enjoy great popularity in Ireland; and since, before the imposition of the new Customs regulations, some fifty millions of cigarettes were imported into this country every week, their decision to open factories in the Free State was almost inevitable. The new duties on imported tobacco raised the price of their cigarettes by twenty-five *per cent.*, and their enterprise in Ireland has as its object the evasion of this considerable handicap on their trade. Their action is quite legitimate. The great American tobacco trust has opened factories in Great Britain for the same purpose, while firms like Lever Brothers have soap factories in Holland, France and Belgium which are able to compete with local manufacturers on equal terms. Smokers are conservative folk, who can be weaned only with difficulty from their favourite brands of tobacco and cigarettes; and the fact that even at the increased prices "English" cigarettes are being bought in large quantities proves that the presence of two "English" factories in Dublin will be a boon to thousands of Free State citizens.

The Free State tobacco trade seems to regard the "invasion" with some alarm. It fears that the big British tobacco trust will establish a monopoly and capture the distributing trade for the whole country. Since the new Customs regulations came into force the demand for Irish tobacco and cigarettes has increased, and manufacturers have begun to lay down new plant in order to cope with growing orders. One Dublin firm, for instance, has installed ten new machines, and the trade is inclined to the belief that, if Messrs. Wills and Player are allowed to start their factories, "they will not leave an independent manufacturer in the Free State." We can understand the anxiety of the Free State manufacturers, but we see no reason for undue alarm. After all, before the new Customs regulations were imposed Irish tobacco and cigarettes were in competition with the products of the Imperial Tobacco Company, and, on the assumption that their quality continues to be no lower than that of Messrs. Wills's and Player's manufactures, the transfer of two factories from England to Ireland will not make any appreciable difference in their sales. These factories will be "Irish" factories, just as Guinness's Brewery is an Irish brewery or the Fordson works in Cork are Irish works. They will employ Irish workers, they will pay Irish taxes, and their shares will be on the market to be bought by Irish investors.

The normal consumption of cigarettes in Ireland before the new fiscal *régime* was about seventy millions *per* week. Fifty millions were imported and twenty millions were manufactured in the country. Since that time the consumption has remained more or less stationary. It is to be presumed that, if and when the two new factories are opened, the total consumption of tobacco will not be affected. Seventy million cigarettes will continue to be smoked, but most of them will be manufactured in Ireland. Those who have the interests of Irish industry at heart will welcome, rather than deplore, this development. The big British or American trusts easily might have bought up all the Irish tobacco firms and might have raised the prices of their products to the level of those which are now manufactured across the Channel. As matters stand, Irish labour will benefit by the increased employment; more money will be spent in the Free State and less will go to Britain. Even the Irish tobacco manufacturers will gain through the establishment of the new factories; for the keen business methods of their competitors will stimulate them to greater efforts and will encourage them in wider enterprise. Competition never did any harm to a nation's economy, and from the point of view of the consumer, to whose interests hitherto very little regard has been paid, the new rivalry is bound to be beneficial.

The Mind of France.

France's troubles are not wholly economic. A less familiar, but startling, aspect of them is revealed in some figures which were published yesterday by the Paris Correspondent of the *Observer*. In 1913 the University of Paris had 17,500 students, including foreigners. In 1921 the number had fallen to 9,250, of whom only 7,000 were French. We gather that the figures have shown no appreciable improvement during the last sixteen months. If such a decline had occurred in the English or Irish universities, commissions would have been appointed and the national concern would have advertised itself in many ways. France has remained silent, however, because, since the Treaty of Versailles, the great problem of military security has obsessed her mind and has claimed all her energies. The Correspondent attributes the lack of university students to the cost of living and the poverty of the professional classes. For many parents, he says, the cost of keeping their sons at the university has become prohibitive. Even the foreign student is assisted only partially by the cheapness of the franc to get reasonably cheap lodgings of the degree of comfort to which he is accustomed. The State has come to the poor student's help with a scheme of "loans of honour"—to be repaid by him when he has secured his diploma and has begun to practise his profession. A sum of five million francs will be devoted to this purpose. There is another scheme for the provision of a sort of residential college where students may live cheaply. A site for this *cité universitaire* has been presented to the University by the City of Paris, and M. Deutsch de la Meurthe has given ten million francs for the first buildings. It is doubtful, however, whether poverty is the whole explanation of the decline of the greatest university in France and one of the greatest in Europe. In France, at other times, as in Scotland and Ireland, poverty and learning have been congenial bedfellows. May we not find some part of the explanation in the French people's long distraction from the pursuits of peace? Thirty years ago Zola preached that practical achievement in the domain of physical science was the means by which France would recover Alsace-Lorraine. She has recovered it; but the effort has exhausted her, and now the aftermath of victory has forced upon her a further devotion to the dogmas of materialism. It is at least possible—perhaps, probable—that university students are becoming fewer because the love of learning for its own sake has been unable to flourish in conditions which have judged education to be valuable only in so far as its results have been concrete. France must not suffer her intellectual glories to be endangered. They are the noblest part of her inheritance, and she must maintain with jealous care the atmosphere which has fostered them in the past. The most important of all the results of a satisfactory and permanent settlement with Germany will be the liberation of the French genius to be once more a pioneer in the adventures of the mind.

Wembley Park.

The British are a good-tempered people, with a strong respect for law and order. British crowds are, with the possible exception of those in well-dragooned Germany, the best-humoured, the best behaved and the most easily handled in the world. There are exceptions to every rule, however, and the exception to the orderly behaviour of the British crowd came last Saturday when some thirty thousand visitors to the Cup Final between Bolton and West Ham, who either could not, or feared that they would not, get seats in the enormous stadium at Wembley, burst through the barriers and occupied the pitch on which the match was to be played. Once inside, the crowd exhibited no signs of desiring to be disorderly, but there was no question of getting the invaders out again. Packed like sardines—some one hundred and eighty thousand people in an enclosure intended to hold a hundred and twenty-five thousand—they submitted cheerfully to the efforts of the police to jam them into a compass which would allow the match to be played. The match was played, indeed, and was won by Bolton, but under circumstances that precluded either players or spectators from giving really close attention to the fine points of the game. The event has given rise to much speculation concerning similar problems in the future. A crowd of two hundred thousand spectators at a football match—what it means can be estimated when we remember that a record crowd at Lansdowne road runs to less than thirty thousand—is unprecedented. Yet in 1924 the Cup Final may summon half a million partisans to the turnstiles. Wembley Park has been built at a cost of £300,000, and the paint is hardly dry on the grand stand before it is found to be too small.

An Exile's Return.

It does not fall to the lot of many men to return to their native land and find themselves strangers in the flesh, but shapes of grandeur—as Walt Whitman puts it—in history. Such, however, is the opportunity that has been accorded to Kabarega, who was King of Bunyoro in the great days, half a century ago, when the Baganda were a fighting people and Nairobi was a native village, with no thought of becoming the capital of a great British Colony. As usual, the white men were at the bottom of poor Kabarega's troubles. He resented their coming because it interfered with his very profitable business of making slaves of less warlike neighbours and selling them to the Arabs. Kabarega, therefore, with his fellow monarch, Mwanga, King of Uganda, warred on the British and was defeated handsomely. This happened twenty-five years ago. Deported to the Seychelles, Kabarega grew old in exile—so old that he was able recently to persuade the British Government to permit him to return to Uganda and to end his days beside his native hearth. He was welcomed by the survivors of the two hundred and fifty children whom he left behind him and by their innumerable descendants. Kabarega has found Uganda a very different place, and the Baganda a far more prosperous and enlightened, though less warlike, people than when he left them. To them, however, he remains the embodiment of the glorious past; and the Baganda chiefs who assembled at Nairobi to do him homage still discuss, we may be sure, with zest and with some sense of what is due to history, the great fights and the great feasts of the brave days of old.

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The right thing is to prohibit the publication of anything connected with a divorce suit except the result.—Lord Buckmaster.

When a man is asked to say "just two words" a great many more words are expected from his lips.—The French Ambassador.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of Roxburghe will leave Floors Castle this week for London, where they will remain for some time. The Marchioness of Normanby has joined the Marquis of Normanby at Mulgrave Castle, Whitby. Viscount and Viscountess Allendale, with the Hon. Mary and the Hon. Agatha Beaumont, have arrived at their London residence from Bywell Hall, Northumberland. Lady Tredegar has taken a house in Grosvenor square for the season and will arrive in London this week. The Vicomtesse de Breteuil has arrived in London on a visit to the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness Moncheur.

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The first of a series of *thés dansants* arranged by Princess Troubetskoy in aid of some Russian refugee families took place at the Hotel Cecil, London, on Saturday afternoon. The Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia and a number of distinguished guests were present.

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Viscount Younger, who was unanimously elected Chairman of the Carlton Club last week, is a well-known Scotsman, and represented Ayr Burghs in Parliament from 1906 till his elevation to the peerage. He was created a Baronet in 1911, and is a director of the National Bank of Scotland and of Lloyd's Bank, and has acted as Scottish Conservative Whip in the House of Commons. His only surviving son and heir is Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. James Younger, D.S.O., who served with distinction during the European War, in which he was wounded and was mentioned in despatches. Lord Younger's predecessor in the chairmanship was the Earl of Kintore, who acted for five years in that capacity.

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Field-Marshal Lord Grenfell, who from 1904 to 1908 was General Commanding-in-Chief the Forces in Ireland, celebrated his eighty-second birthday yesterday. He has had a distinguished career in the Army and has gained many British and foreign honours. By his second wife, who died in 1911, he has two sons and one daughter. The elder son, the Hon. Pascoe Grenfell, was seventeen last December. Lord Grenfell, who was in the South of France during the spring, is now at St. Rode, his residence near Bournemouth.

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Lord Atkinson, Sir Plunket Barton and Mr. Ronald McNeill were among the guests who were entertained at dinner by the Treasurer (Lord Carson) and the Masters of the Bench at the Middle Temple on the occasion of Grand Day in Easter Term. Twenty-seven Masters of the Bench were present.

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To-morrow the Earl of Bective, elder son and heir of the Marquis of Headfort, will attain his majority. His only brother, Lord William Taylour, is his junior by two years.

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The Earl and Countess of Bradford have been staying with the Earl and Countess of Midleton at Peper Harow, but will return to London to-day. Viscount and Viscountess Campden are visiting the Earl and Countess of Gainsborough at Exton Park, Oakham. The Hon. Lady Maxse has returned from India and has gone to York to join her husband, Lieutenant-General Sir Ivor Maxse, K.C.B., who is in command of the Northern District. The Marquis and Marchioness of Ely have arrived at Eaton square, London, from Brighton for a part of the season.

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The marriage arranged between Major Francis Yeats-Brown, D.F.C., 15th Lancers, Indian Army, son of the late Montagu Yeats-Brown, C.M.G., and Mrs. Yeats-Brown, of Portofino, Italy, and Olga Lavinia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Porter, 20 Roland Gardens, formerly of Clogher Park, Ireland, will take place to-day (Monday), very quietly, at St. Peter's, Cranley Gardens. Bride and bridegroom will leave immediately for San Giorgio, Portofino, Italy.

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The marriage arranged between Miss Fredico Aylette ter' Blanche, of Kingwilliamstown, S. Africa, and Dr. George William Doran, of Elliot, S. Africa, second son of Sir Henry Doran, 43 Palmerston road, Dublin, and of Lady Doran (deceased) will take place early in July.

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Dr. J. P. O'Connor has changed his residence to "Sydenham," Corrig avenue, Dun Laoghaire.

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MARRIAGE OF CAPTAIN E. D. CORKERY AND MRS. CLAUD LINDSAY.

At the church of St. Mary Boltons, South Kensington, on 24th April, Captain E. D. Corkery, M.C., 1st Devonshire Regiment, was married to Mrs. Claud Lindsay, widow of Major Claud Lindsay, R.F.A., and elder daughter of Sir Henry and Lady Forde, of the Manor of St. John, Waterford. The bride, who was attended by her little son, George M. T. Lindsay, wearing the Lindsay tartan, wore a silver tissue frock with lace hat to match. Colonel H. Morgan Lindsay, C.B., the bride's father-in-law, gave her away, and Captain Gotto, D.S.O., Devonshire Regiment, acted as best man. The ceremony was performed by the Bishop of Cashel, assisted by the Rev. E. J. Austin, vicar of the parish.

A reception, which was largely attended, was held at the Hans Crescent Hotel by Sir Henry and Lady Forde. Captain and Mrs. Corkery left later for Pencerrig, Builth, lent by Colonel and Mrs. Morgan Lindsay.

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Departures:—Miss J. O'Callaghan, Miss G. O'Mahony, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hudson, Dr. Blewitt, Kevin Egan, Mrs. Gaussen, Miss A. Gaussen, Miss G. Smith, Mrs. C. L. Keane, Miss N. H. Langan, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Miss Betty Butler, Miss P. Butler, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Bernard Daly, Miss Daly, Mrs. R. C. Huxley, Mrs. Olley, Miss Boydell, Dr. J. D. MacCormack, Miss Phyllis Meldon, Harold J. Dallaghan, R. Hammond Morewood, H. D. B. Dobbs, B. G. Shorten, Miss Sheela Fitzpatrick, Miss Edith Irwin, R. Richmond Figgis, Miss Hazel Daly, Brian Daly, Miss D. Huxley, Mrs. Hurst, Fergus O'Connor, Joseph J. Molony, Miss H. Sweetman.

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OBITUARY.

MR. L. C. P. SMITH.

The death occurred yesterday, at his residence, Arranmore, Cavan, of Mr. Louis C. P. Smith, solicitor. Mr. Smith, who was fifty-five years of age, was a son of the late Mr. Philip Smith, of Kevitt Castle, Crossdoney, Co. Cavan, and was a solicitor by profession. He succeeded the late Mr. Hugh Kennedy as Crown Solicitor for Co. Cavan in 1910, and held that position until recently, when the Government dismissed all the Crown Solicitors in the Free State. He took a keen interest in agriculture, and was President of the Co. Cavan Agricultural Society. The funeral will take place to-morrow to Ballinagh.

MR. F. M. DRAKE.

Mr. Frederick Morris Drake, better known as Maurice Drake, novelist, glass painter and authority on old stained glass, died at Exeter yesterday morning in his forty-ninth year. He had been suffering from pneumonia for some weeks.

In addition to his novels, Mr. Drake wrote two standard volumes on old stained glass saints and their emblems, and a history of English glass painting in conjunction with his brother, Mr. Wilfred Drake. He was Hon. Secretary of the British Society of Master Glass Painters.

THE HON. MRS. ALLIX.

The death occurred at Eastbourne on Saturday of the Hon. Mrs. Charles Allix. She was the daughter of the second Baron Belper, and married Mr. Charles Allix, the Duke of Devonshire's agent for the Compton Estate, Eastbourne.

PAINTER AND ETCHER.

EXHIBITION OF WORK BY MISS ESTELLA SOLOMONS.

From to-day until May 10th Miss Solomons' interesting exhibition of pictures will be open to the public at the Studio, 26 Great Brunswick street, Dublin. Deprived this spring of the Hibernian Academy, the Dublin art-loving public nevertheless finds consolation in the individual exhibition of many artists. Miss Solomons' work is well worth seeing; she has put great feeling and expression into the type of picture which many painters leave untouched. She has the power of making something lovable out of what appears to be dull and even drab. The exhibition is made up of about thirty paintings, a dozen etchings, and half that number of woodcuts. Of the four or five portraits, that of Dr. Solomons was shown at the Academy last year; but the best is undoubtedly that of Mr. Jack Yeates, R.H.A., which is a really clever portrait; indeed, it is more than clever, for it is painted with genuine insight. There is a figure painting ("An Eating House") which is a well-composed and interesting piece of work; two men sitting at a table, with a waitress in a deep blue dress standing by, and on the table a good contrasting dash of colour in the painting of fruit. Of the landscapes and seascapes the best are, perhaps, "Rain Clouds," "Sand and Sky," an excellent study of fine blue sky with white clouds; and "Dollymount," which is possibly the best picture in the exhibition.

The etchings and woodcuts are quite charming, but do not, however, possess the same individuality as the paintings, for in them one misses Miss Solomons' fine sense of colour. In "The Lake" there is a good etching of tall trees by water, and there are two of considerable interest of Marsh's Library. There are a couple of good drawings of the older and more tumble-down part of Dublin, and a clever etching of "Seumas O'Sullivan."

Altogether Miss Solomons has achieved a good deal that is "worth while" in this exhibition, and there are many people who will not be in the least content with only one visit to the Great Brunswick street studio, while the exhibition is in progress.

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U.S. PRESIDENT AND THE PRESS.

MR. HARDING ON CRITICISM.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
WASHINGTON, Sunday.

President Harding, in an address at the first annual meeting of the American Society of Newspaper Editors yesterday, denied a widely circulated European report that an international banker had had a hand in persuading him to advocate the participation of the United States in the World Court of Justice.

"I care nothing about editorial criticism directed against an individual," he declared, "but I have read within the past forty-eight hours a very earnest editorial, wherein it was stated that the recent proposal of the Executive to the United States Senate that we should adhere to an International Court of Justice was imposed upon the Executive by the cunning and design of international bankers.

"There is not one word of truth in it. I have been President for little more than two years. I have yet to be asked for an audience by a single international banker in America or elsewhere. The only exchange of opinions between international bankers and the President of the United States has been at the request of the President, and it is fair to say they have said with just the same degree of patriotism that you would say, 'Mr. President, we are at your service—command us.'"

Speaking upon the subject of journalism, the President said:—I think the most unfortunate contribution to the disturbance of the day is the excessive publication of sensational vice. "I believe if I were to write a code for all the newspapers in America I would ban everything of a vicious character, except that which is necessary as a public warning."

The President also declared that the United States and its Convention had done more than any other country in the world towards the development of a free Press.

BRITISH AGRICULTURE.

PRODUCTION STATISTICS FOR 1922.

While the yield of the majority of crops for England and Wales was below the average for the past 10 years, the agricultural statistics for 1922 state that the potato crop was a record one. Four million and twelve thousand tons of potatoes were produced, being one million tons above that of the previous year.

The total production of milk was estimated at 1,318,000,000 gallons, and the number of cows in milk was 1,934,000. The production of eggs in England and Wales was estimated at 1,500,000,000.

Values of the output of different groups of commodities in 1922 in Great Britain are estimated as follows:—Farm crops, £47,000,000; live stock, £108,000,000; dairy produce, £77,000,000; wool, £3,250,000; poultry and eggs, £16,000,000; miscellaneous crops, £10,000,000. Total, £261,250,000.

VALUE OF ADVERTISING.

ENTERPRISE WHICH PROMISES WELL FOR FUTURE.

Speaking at the twenty-seventh anniversary gathering of the Samson Clark Service organisation in London, Mr. Samson Clark claimed that the business outlook is appreciably brighter than it was only a few months ago. British manufacturers and merchants are giving much closer attention to the selling side of their business than formerly, and the importance of advertising is being far more generally recognised.

The newspaper Press, said Mr. Samson Clark, provides a regular daily and weekly selling force that practically every business man can use to increase his output and reduce production costs. There was evidence on every hand that the houses that adopted a well-considered advertising policy were the most successful in dull seasons as well as in good times.

More optimism and more enterprise is observable in almost every direction, and these factors promise well for the coming year.

TAKEN AT RANDOM.

A community of Christians which cannot agree upon its solemn forms of worship is a coalition of discordant sects.—Sir Edward Clarke, K.C.

I was brought up to sit at the feet of Matthew Arnold and Sainte-Beuve; if I venture to mention either of them now it is only with an air of apology.—Mr. A. B. Walkley.

Civilisation has made man into a savage, and has debased the standard of behaviour.—Professor H. B. Dixon.

An Englishman's real ambition is to get a railway compartment to himself.—Mr. Ian Hay.

I would lose faith in the people of this country if they were to become reconciled to the housing conditions under which many live.—Lord Astor.

Forgive your partner seventy times seven. After that burn the account-book.—Mr. W. L. George.

There is no evidence that any single play by Shakespeare has perished.—Professor Alfred Pollard.

Let me tell the right hon. gentleman that the working classes know how to court.—Mr. Kirkwood, M.P.

There is no instance that I know of where a beer duty has been reduced.—Mr. Baldwin.

I have heard every story ever told.—Mr. Chauncey M. Depew.

Every thinker of the present day must practise himself in believing the improbable.—Mr. J. D. Beresford.

The psychologist is a great advance on the mid-Victorian phrenologist, but not, perhaps, such a great advance as he would like us to believe.—Lord Leverhulme.

Force is frequently the only remedy, but in England we usually become squeamish in the middle of the operation.—Dean Inge.

If one lady chooses to slang another it is not an international question.—Mr. McNeill, M.P.

My visit to the Dominions was not long enough to enable me really to know them, but short enough to qualify me to write a book about them.—Lord Derby.

LONDON LETTER.

MR. BONAR LAW'S HEALTH.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

The news that Mr. Bonar Law's health necessitates the taking of a short sea voyage has been received with general regret, tempered with hope that, by following medical advice, he may return greatly benefited in time for the resumption of the Parliamentary sittings after the brief Whitsun recess. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, upon whom the leadership of the House devolves, is a young Minister for such a task; but, fortunately, he has shown himself adequately capable of undertaking the work. Not only is his Budget surviving the moderate attacks which have been made upon it, but in general affairs Mr. Baldwin has shown himself to be possessed of a tactful, sympathetic, and far-seeing temperament, and in his new temporary post he will have the loyal co-operation of his party and the good wishes of those who differ in political complexion.

A Sea Trip.

It is understood that Mr. Bonar Law will not be leaving London until the end of this week; but his medical advisers, Sir Thomas Horder and Dr. G. Badgerow, insist upon his departure at the earliest possible moment. Mr. Law has made no plans yet, but he has been offered a steam yacht by a supporter of the Government, and it is likely that he will accept it. A voyage is being planned to visit the Canary Islands with a cruise in the Mediterranean, but nothing definite has been settled. Mr. Law is so reluctant to leave his work that it is rather difficult to get his assent to any move; but, in view of the favourable outlook in the House of Commons for the next few weeks, he has permitted himself to be persuaded to follow the advice of the doctors. The medical men say that, if Mr. Law follows their advice, he will come back completely recovered.

Some Awkward Bills.

That the atmosphere in the House of Commons seems clear at the moment may be admitted, but there are so many important matters likely to arise in the near future that the absence of the Prime Minister is almost bound to be felt. The new reparations offer from Germany will, probably, need very close watching, while it is possible that the question of the Irish deportees may cause trouble. Then there are the Housing Bill, the Rent Restriction Bill, and the Agricultural Bill to come up for consideration, with the possibility of awkward incidents. It is thought, however, that Mr. Baldwin will prove equal to anything that may happen.

Father of the House.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor, who is the Father of the House of Commons, having sat in the House ever since 1880, and, consequently, longer than anybody else, will be given a dinner shortly by members of all parties. Mr. J. M. Hogge is acting as secretary of the movement, and the proposal includes the presentation of a testimonial to Mr. O'Connor. The Father of the House is a great favourite with all members, and there can be little doubt that the movement will meet with great success.

The King and Queen.

The King and Queen hope to spend the present week quietly at Buckingham Palace, while preparations are being made for the departure on their visit to Italy. They will leave London on Saturday and arrive in Rome on the following Monday, when they will at once begin an almost continuous round of ceremonial functions and private engagements. The visit to the Pope has been settled, and the consequent ceremonial most carefully drawn up. It is understood that the rather tiring visit to Monte Grappa, the principal point in the Italian last line of mountain defences, has been abandoned in favour of a tour of the Assiago Plain, where our troops did much of the fighting in conjunction with the Italian Army.

Reparations.

Latest advices from Berlin affirm that a German offer with regard to reparations will not be delayed longer than a few days, but no clear indication is given as to the means by which the offer will be made known. A direct offer to France is not regarded as being within the bounds of probability. It will thus be open to Paris to object both to the terms of the offer and the method of making it. Criticisms on both these points have been current in Paris during the week-end before anything is known beyond the bare expectations that an offer may be made.

The Cup Final.

The most noticeable feature with regard to the attendance at yesterday's Football Association Cup final was the comprehensive character of the spectators. From all parts of the country they came, with a strong contingent from the North of England. In the hope that their local team may be in the final, it is customary in many industrial centres to begin contributions towards an excursion to the final many months before the event is decided, and thus many football enthusiasts come from districts unconnected with the teams engaged in the match. The presence of a London team roused interest in the Metropolitan area, and, though considerable disappointment was felt at the failure of West Ham to win the coveted trophy, it was agreed that Bolton, who were making their third appearance in a Cup final, had deserved the victory.

The Stadium.

The match was for the first time played at Wembley in the Stadium of the British Empire Exhibition, which is to be held next year. It was urged at one time that the site would prove of an inaccessible character and that a less remote district could have been chosen; but yesterday's event proved that the railway and motor 'bus services have converted it into a spot which is quite easily reached from all parts of London.

The Crowd.

Its accessibility yesterday nearly brought about one of the greatest dangers that could befall such a gathering; for there was very serious possibility of a panic. It was agreed yesterday by many who were present that, if there had been many women in the crowd, the loss of life would have been severe; for men would have struggled to get their women-kind out of the fearful crush. That things went off so well speaks highly for the self-control and restraint of the people present. Those officials who telegraphed to London and stopped the despatch of further trains also deserve commendation. But those who imagined that a crowd of enthusiastic footballers were going to be kept under control by railings which gave way to mere pressure, and without an adequate force of police, must try again before Wembley can be regarded as the ideal place for a cup-tie.

A World's Record.

There is accommodation for 137,000 people, and nearly all the standing space was taken up when the gates were closed. After the pressure of the crowd outside had broken down the barriers it is officially estimated that about 100,000 people broke through, in which case the attendance of about 200,000 is easily a world's "record" for any gathering in an enclosed space.

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Democracies more than any other form of Government depend for success upon the moral qualities of their individual citizens.—The Bishop of Durham.

PEACE PROPOSALS.

NO GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON MR. DE VALERA'S POINTS.

LABOUR'S VIEW.

TERMS "ACCEPTABLE," SAYS MR. THOMAS JOHNSON.

NO official statement has been issued by the Irish Free State Government concerning the proposals put forward by Mr. de Valera for the opening of peace negotiations.

At the Government Buildings, Merrion street, Dublin, it was stated that the Cabinet up to then had not met to consider the proposals.

Mr. O'Higgins, the Minister for Home Affairs, was confined to his room and had no interview with Press representatives on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Johnson, leader of the Labour Party in the Dail, said at Kilkenny yesterday that Mr. de Valera's six points were acceptable to him. In some respects they were what the Labour Party stood for both inside and outside the Dail. A peace by negotiation between two organised parties was to be preferred to a peace of desolation. He trusted that the Government would respond to Mr. de Valera's statement by ordering the cessation of raids and arrests by the military and C.I.D. If Mr. de Valera, as it appeared, intended to renounce his claim to act with Government authority, they need not think too seriously about the title under which he wrote.

POINTS ACCEPTABLE.

LABOUR AND MR. DE VALERA'S MANIFESTO.

Speaking at the opening of a new Trades' Hall in Kilkenny yesterday, Mr. Thomas Johnson, leader of the Labour Party in the Dail, referred to the statement which was issued last Saturday by Mr. de Valera.

A fortnight ago at Cork, said Mr. Johnson, he spoke of the importance of securing peace by negotiations between two organised forces and not a mere peace of desolation. He welcomed Mr. de Valera's pronouncement, because it showed that he was willing to return to peaceful political action. Mr. de Valera spoke for his organisation, and they might reasonably hope that his statement would mean that spasmodic action by small bodies or parties would cease, and that if individuals persisted in committing outrages they would be punished with the approval of both sides in the present conflict.

He trusted that the Government would respond to Mr. de Valera's statement, by ordering a cessation of activities—raids and arrests—by the military and C.I.D.

If operations ceased both sides could examine the position in a new light.

He did not propose to examine Mr. de Valera's six points with any degree of closeness, but he wished to say that as points in the programme of a political party they were acceptable to him; in fact, in some degree they were what the Labour Party stood for, both inside and outside the Dail. If Mr. de Valera, as it appeared, intended to renounce the claim to exercise Government authority, he (Mr. Johnson) did not think that they or anybody else would be justified in taking very much notice of the title under which Mr. de Valera made his pronouncement.

Mr. Johnson said that he "subscribed absolutely" to Mr. de Valera's fourth point, which claimed that citizens could not be justly excluded by any political oath, test, or other device, from their proper share and influence in determining national policy, or from the Councils and Parliament of the nation.

Dealing with the programme of the *Cumann na nGaedheal*, Mr. Johnston said that it was "very satisfactory from the point of view of aspiration." President Cosgrave told them that they had not solved the land question; that they had not solved the housing question, but that they would hand to their successors a National Army of which the nation might feel proud.

They had an Army of 50.000, added Mr. Johnson, which cost £10,000,000 a year. The Government had created a new problem for their successors to solve.

Mr. T. Gaffney, said that his aim was to establish a Workers' Republic. They were the only Party who had objected to the obnoxious points in the Treaty.

LONDON COMMENTS

The following are a few of the comments in English newspapers on the situation:—

Sunday Times—What de Valera invites the Free State Government to do is to accept as the basis of peace a medley of platitudes and metaphysical *dicta* on the sovereignty of States and the ultimate source of authority in Governments. The mere business of eluding all efforts to extract from him some more precise definition of what he imagines himself to be meaning would probably engage him quite happily to the day of his death. What he has really initiated is a debate, interminable and inexhaustible, on the theory of Statehood, nationhood, justice, citizenship, and all the rest of it. The Dublin authorities may very well decide that they have more important work on hand than that of arguing Constitutions with Mr. de Valera. They are more likely to regard his offer not as a foundation for peace, but as a sign that peace is coming.

Observer—We hope, whether eventually Mr. de Valera moves the whole way to the constitutional position or whether after this partial recantation he abandons his activities, that peace under law is now near at hand for Ireland. Had he made his present political discoveries a year ago, Ireland would have been saved the most wanton burthen of loss and suffering ever thrown on the shoulders of any people. No country in Europe had a surer and more enviable prospect of prosperity than Ireland at the beginning of 1922. For the clouding of so fair a future Mr. de Valera is before all responsible. He appealed to the people and they rejected him. He appealed to force and has been defeated.

Mr. Stephen Gwynn, in the *Observer*—My view of the situation is that the de Valera proposals will not be accepted, because they cannot be, but that the suspension of what is called "war" will be lasting. Mr. de Valera may probably retire from public life, putting on the British and Irish Governments all blame for a refusal to negotiate what he would regard as a reasoned peace, and leaving them to cope with the consequences. These, however, need not be very formidable.

The Star (London)—Nor need we concern ourselves too much over the "certain terms" on which the armistice is offered or requested. De Valera always loved words—more, it has sometimes seemed, for the lovely noise they made in his own mouth than for the meaning, if any, which they conveyed to the audience addressed. There is talk in the "conditions" about the "inalienable sovereign rights of States," and the necessity of safeguarding the rights of "the people." The vague largeness of these terms has, in the past, made their use a curse in negotiations with Irish hotheads; they can be twisted to the absurdest extremes. But they can also, in emergency, be narrowed to whatever the negotiator is willing to agree to, so under cover of the flourish of them we may this time be able to come to a real peace. God send it!

Evening Standard (London)—The so-called proclamation, issued, by the way, in Dublin and under the nose of the Free State Government, from Mr. de Valera as "President of the Republic," and from the Commander of the "Irish Republican Army" to its commands and brigades, is welcome in so far as it means a kind of surrender. In all other respects it is preposterous and insulting. Public opinion will certainly expect the Free State Government not to treat with people who suggest conditions wholly at variance with the spirit of its Constitution.

EXCAVATIONS AT ROME.

FOUNDATIONS OF CITY LAID 3,100 YEARS AGO.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Sunday.

Archæological discoveries by Professor Dail Osso on and around Monte Mario indicate that Rome was founded thirty-one hundred years ago, according to the Professor. He declares that he has found evidences of a Pelasgian race passing over the Alban and Palatine hills, uniting with warring and industrial tribes called Abongeni, and occupying the other Roman hills to found the city.

The Government is furnishing money to continue the excavations, which would refute the date given by the Roman historian Varro for the founding of the city. Varro's date is 754 B.C. Professor Dail Osso says that the date should be in the twelfth century B.C.

BANK OFFICIALS ROBBED.

A DONEGAL OUTRAGE.

Two officials of the National Bank and Ulster Bank at Killybegs, Co. Donegal, were stopped when motoring to Kilcar fair by armed men on Thursday, and deprived of the money that they were conveying to the sub-branches. Some reports put the total amount lost at £1,600, while others place it at £600.

AN UNHEALTHY ARMY.

Statistics recently published in Madrid show a large increase in the deaths and sickness in the Spanish Army, quite apart from those consequent upon the Moroccan campaign and its accompanying casualties. During the period 1912-1921 sickness has increased from 3.49 to 7.06 cases per 1,000 soldiers in the ranks, and deaths from 3.32 to 9.13 per 1,000.

CONSERVATIVE WORKINGMEN.

Presiding at the conference of Conservative Clubs in Nottingham last Saturday, Sir Herbert Nield, K.C., M.P., urged that more Conservative workingmen should be put forward as candidates at the next General Election. It was a libel on the working classes to say that their true representatives were the shrieking dervishes from Glasgow.

Sir Herbert suggested that the law should be amended so that trade unionists could withhold subscriptions when the funds of their union were used for the dissemination of political poison which the members ignored.

STUDENT STOWAWAY.

A student named Gordon Moss, aged twenty, walked from California to New York and became a stowaway on the liner Adriatic, which arrived in Liverpool a week ago. Third-class passengers collected subscriptions and paid his passage to Liverpool. The immigration authorities, however, ordered his return to New York on the Adriatic, which sailed on Saturday. On Friday it was discovered that Moss had escaped from the White Star liner boarding-house and disappeared.

PICTURES BY AEROPLANE

A LONDON TRIBUTE.

There were many references in the London Press to the *Irish Times* Special Aeroplane which brought the Pictures of the Royal Wedding to Dublin. *The Star*, in its "Diary" Columns on Friday, said:—

"Even the Irish Free State must have Pictures of the Royal Wedding, and as the only way of getting the Photographs to Dublin in time for To-day's Paper was by Aeroplane, they went by Aeroplane, arriving safely after a rough passage over the Irish Sea at 7.30 p.m. My congratulations to the enterprising Courier of the *Irish Times*."

AGENT'S EXPENSES.

HEARING OF BERWICK ELECTION PETITION.

At the resumed hearing of the election petition against Captain Hilton Philipson, National Liberal member for Berwick-on-Tweed, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, Mr. Cecil Whiteley, K.C., for the respondent, said that there was no doubt that Mr. Boal, the agent, had been guilty of the offence of not presenting a true return of expenses. The agent, when he found that the expenses were exceeded, ought to have applied to the Court for relief at the time.

Counsel submitted that the agent was inexperienced, and that he had been appointed in a "terrific rush," when the Carlton Club meeting made it impossible for Captain Philipson to have the services of the agent, whose assistance he previously had. The agent's offence was the only one committed at the election.

Mr. Justice Sankey said that the Court would have to consider whether they had power to relieve for a corrupt practice on the part of an election agent.

THE LATE MR. GINNELL.

BODY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

The body of Mr. Laurence Ginnell, the seventy-year-old envoy of the Irish Republicans, was landed at Plymouth yesterday, having been brought home from New York, where he died suddenly, for interment at Westmeath. Mrs. Alice Ginnell accompanied her husband's body.

The body of Mr. Ginnell arrived in London last night. It will rest in the Church of Corpus Christi, Maiden lane, Strand, until this morning, when, after a short Service, it will be conveyed from Euston Station for interment in Ireland. The remains will arrive at Westland row at 6 p.m. to-day, and will be taken to the Carmelite Church, Aungier street. On Tuesday the funeral will leave for Clonarney, Delvin, County Westmeath.

INDIAN SALT TAX AGITATION.

SIMLA, Sunday.

The agitation against the certification of the salt tax continues. Two native members of the Legislative Assembly have resigned their seats, declaring that the Viceroy's exercise of his extraordinary privileges constitutes an abuse of constitutional law.—(Reuter.)

LIBERALISM'S TASK.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S PROGRAMME.

THREE GREAT DANGERS TO LIBERTY.

Mr. Lloyd George had a great reception when he addressed a largely-attended meeting of Liberals in the Free Trade Hall, Manchester, on Saturday, and expounded a social programme, which he declared it was the duty of Liberals to advocate. The Lancashire and Cheshire Federation of Young Liberals was responsible for the organisation of the meeting. Mr. Harry Seddon, President of the Lancashire and Cheshire Federation of Young Liberals, presided.

I have come here, Mr. Lloyd George said, just to give my view of the task of Liberalism. I am one of those referred to by the chairman, most of whose life is behind him. You are Young Liberals whose life is in front of you, and Young Liberals are asking the question everywhere: Has Liberalism any mission which makes it worth our while to dedicate our lives to it, or have we to seek in other parties and in other ideals something to which we can give toil, energy, and sacrifice?

The answer to that depends, first of all upon the question, what is Liberialism? I am not here to speak as a party leader—the leader of a group or section, or whatever you choose to call it. I have come here as a Liberal to make my contribution. Liberialism is not a proprietary medicine sold in bottles with only one label—(laughter)—in shops duly licensed and by agents properly authorised. It is broader, wider, something that belongs to us all, and we have a right to express our views with regards to its future and to the course which it ought to pursue. I have always had one view of Liberalism. There is a very distinguished citizen of this great city who has said—"Liberalism is an attitude or a mood which finds expression now and again in programmes." I do not dispute that. I accept it, and I can only give the attitude of mind and the mood which represented always my view of Liberalism. I put it in one simple sentence: fair play for the under dog. (Cheers.) Not scientific, not exhaustive, but if you will apply that to the Liberalism of the last generation you see how it works out. My first recollection of the Liberal battle is of a fight for two things: a fight for equality—religious equality—for the Nonconformist peasant in our country, and, secondly, a fight for rights of citizenship for those who were disinherited, men who had no voice in the making of laws which they had to obey, the imposition of burdens which they had to bear.

GERMINATING PEACE.

Turning to the record of Liberalism, Mr. Lloyd George said:—We are concerned with the future, but it is what Liberalism has done in the past that is the guarantee of what it can do in the future. In the future, he continued, its great task was to remedy the evils of modern industrialism. But before they could touch that problem the first great problem of Liberalism was to overthrow the tyranny of the sword. The sword was the sceptre of wrong. Unless war, the spirit of war, the temper of war, the acknowledgment of the expedience of war as a tribunal, were torn out of the minds of men, the future filled him with dread.

It was of no use talking of redressing evils, for if there were another war it would be such a war that even those who were in the last could not conceive, and civilisation would be hurled into depths from which it would have painfully to crawl out. The first duty of Liberalism was to germinate peace.

The workmen did not make war, yet there were 1,300,000 men and women who were walking to the registry office at the present moment to bid for an opportunity of working for their daily bread.

"A system which condemns millions without fault of their own," said the ex-Prime Minister with emphasis, "men who live sober, decent, industrious lives, that condition in itself is organised blasphemy."

Up to 1909, he went on, the old political parties in this country never made provision for such contingencies that any self-respecting person could touch. "You can understand why the other party has sprung up, and why it has grown up so rapidly. We have a good deal to make up for."

What has been done was not enough, and they had to convince people that they really needed to get rid of such conditions.

"Capital has been made for people and not man for labour," Mr. Lloyd George declared, "and if we were convinced evils of that kind were inseparable from the present order I would take to the crowbar myself." (Cheers.)

DANGERS TO LIBERTY.

Having spoken of housing and the needs of agriculture, Mr. Lloyd George spoke of the waste of coal and the waste caused by drink, and declared:—"Liberalism has a special duty to protect liberty against all foes, hidden or open. There are three dangers to liberty that you can see arising. The first is Protection. If there is to be a fight about Free Trade, let us clear the deck. If there is to be a fight for Free Trade, let us go forward as a united party." (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

Then there were Socialism and Fascism. "Socialism would enslave Labour for its own benefit, its own advantage. Liberalism has made London free, and it is its business to keep Labour free." (Cheers.)

LINER'S MISSING BOATS.

BRITISH WARSHIP JOINS IN SEARCH.

CAPE TOWN, Saturday.

His Majesty's gunboat Dwarf, which is at present at Lobito Bay, has been instructed to render all possible assistance in the search for the missing boats of the liner Mossamedes.—(Reuter.)

BRITISH BETTING TAX.

PERSONNEL OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The Select Committee of the House of Commons which is to consider the question of imposing a tax on betting is to consist of nineteen members. Those already appointed on the Committee are:—

Unionists—Mr. H. S. Cautley, K.C. (chairman), Lord Stanley, Mr. J. D. Cassells, K.C.; Sir Alfred Butt, Mr. G. Rentoul, Sir Berkeley Sheffield, Mr. L. Forestier-Walker, Sir George Hamilton, and Sir Leonard Brassey.

Labour—Mr. W. Graham, Mr. Morgan Jones, Mr. D. R. Grenfell, and Mr. Cecil Wilson.

National Liberals—Sir Henry Norman and Sir Beddoe Rees.

Independent Liberals—Mr. Isaac Foot and Mr. A. Lyle-Samuel.

Sir Berkeley Sheffield and Sir Leonard Brassey are members of the Jockey Club.

PRAYERS FOR RAIN.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Prayers for rain were offered in the Protestant churches throughout Victoria to-day.—(Reuter.)

BAVARIAN FASCISTI.

BERLIN, Sunday.

The great May Day demonstration which the Socialists proposed to hold in Munich has been forbidden by the Bavarian authorities on the ground that it would be likely to lead to collisions with Dr. Hitler's Fascisti, who have sworn not to allow Soviet banners to be carried in the streets, as was arranged by the Socialists. May Day will be kept as a holiday by workmen.—(Reuter.)

GOSPORT'S WAR MEMORIAL.

Gosport's War Memorial Hospital, which is also the war memorial of the Portsmouth Division of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, was opened on Saturday afternoon by Major-General Sir John Davidson, M.P. for South Hampshire. The hospital has cost £35,000, and £46,000 has been subscribed, leaving £11,000 for an endowment fund. Officers and men of the Royal Marine Light Infantry have helped the fund very considerably.

FOOTBALL FINAL

CROWDS BREAK THE BARRIERS.

1,000 CASUALTIES.

MOUNTED POLICE CALLED IN AT WEMBLY.

There were wild scenes at the final of the English Football Association Cup at the new ground at Wembley, on the outskirts of London, on Saturday. The barriers were broken down; the crowd rushed into the enclosure without paying, invaded the playing field, and delayed the start of the game by three-quarters of an hour. The match was won by Bolton Wanderers, who defeated West Ham by 2 goals to nil.

It is estimated that the crowd numbered 200,000—a record for any outdoor sporting event. Of these, over 100,000 entered the ground without paying.

REMARKABLE SCENES.

"ONLY 1,000 CASUALTIES."

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Sunday.

"The most sensational cup final in history." That is what everybody said to everybody else over and over again. It would, perhaps, be an exaggeration to say that Wembley Park on Saturday was turned into a battlefield, but as the stretcher-bearers bore the seeming corpses one after another through the crowd and out of the ground, it looked considerably more like a battlefield than like a football field.

Nowhere but in England—perhaps, nowhere but in London—would it have been possible to have had so many of the elements of a riot without the riot itself actually taking place. There were only 1,000 casualties on Saturday. That is really a great tribute to everybody.

Looking over towards one of the two-shilling stands, one saw that men were tumbling like sheep over the barriers, and tussling with a handful of policemen, who tried in vain to keep them from seizing upon seats that did not belong to them. Other police hurried up and, though they could not drive the invasion back, at least prevented it from becoming any worse.

The people who leaped over the barriers were to a great extent innocent people. After all, human beings were pouring down upon them from behind like a score of Alpine torrents. Other parts of the ground found the example infectious, and on all sides the crowd could be seen leaping over the barriers as easily as a high tide leaps over a breakwater on a stormy day—and as they leaped others leaped on their backs, and drove them to the very touch-line.

It was plain by this time that something extraordinary had happened, and rumours from the outside spoke of furious crowds that had found the gates closed and had broken them down.

A crash overhead made the people in the covered stand look up, and told them that one bold invader had even got on to the roof. He had fallen through, the brave fellow, and we could see his legs kicking from the waist downwards. The crowd in the stands were now yelling their opinion of the crowd on the field at the top of 127,000 voices.

Into the black sea on the grass blue policemen, hurried up from London, began to insinuate themselves; the crowds on the stands loudly cheering them, and whirling their rattles. But by this time no one any longer believed that the ground could be cleared by foot police.

Then the first horse policeman arrived. Had he been Steve Donoghue bringing in a winner of the Derby he could not have been received with such a pandemonium of yells and rattles.

When King George arrived and appeared in his red box it was as though a temporary truce had been declared between the party of law and the party of disorder, and "God Save the King" roared from the throng.

Immediately afterwards, however, the war was renewed with increased vigour, and as the horsemen swept on to the field the more timid spirits on the outskirts began to drift away under the arches and to make for home. Even so, the field still remained black with people, and as one section of the crowd retreated before the teeth and the tails of the horses another section flowed in and took its place.

There was one policeman on a white horse who was a perfect genius, and who could himself keep a crowd of at least a thousand moving.

The foot police now began to take the crowd in sections. Just as people were wondering whether the Cup final could be played at all the teams came out into the thick of the mob, and the crowd, though it made a narrow laneway for them, slapped every man of them enthusiastically on the back as he made his way through on his way to be introduced to the King.

At length the crowd on one side of the field was driven back to the touch line, and, amid a wild tumult of cheers, the man on the white horse rode among the mob like a god of victory, and even butted people out of the net behind the goal posts. Slowly, but surely, chains of police were pressing back other sections of the crowd—north, east, and west—off the field of play.

Then, wonder of wonders was seen, the captains meeting in the middle of the field for the toss, and, amid a tumult of yells, rattles, and noises, for which there are no words in the English language, it became evident that the toss had been won by Bolton Wanderers.

As for the football that followed, how mild a game it seemed after so sensational a prologue!

Over nine hundred people received treatment from the Red Cross ambulance men. Most of the serious cases were fractured ribs, due to the great crush. Twenty-two cases were taken to Willesden Hospital, but only twelve were detained.

BLESSED TERESA.

BEATIFICATION CEREMONY OF THE "LITTLE FLOWER."

ROME, Sunday.

The first ceremony of Beatification under the present Pontificate, that of the Carmelite nun, Sister Teresa of Lisieux, the "Little Flower," is remarkable for the fact that Sister Teresa died only in 1897, whereas beatification seldom takes place until centuries after death. The ceremonies were marked by a return to the splendour which formally characterised these celebrations. Nothing was wanting of colour, light and beauty to impress the spectator.

The ceremony took place in the apse of the Basilica, where the huge surrounding columns were draped with gold-fringed, crimson brocade hangings, and thousands of glittering lights shone on the rich robes of the Cardinals, the many-coloured uniforms of the Papal soldiers, and crimson costumes of the bearers of the Sedia Gestatoria, in which the Pope was carried into St. Peter's. An illuminated picture of Sister Teresa, with accompanying pictures of two miracles attributed to her, proofs of which are required before beatification, and a statue of St. Teresa of Spain, after whom Sister Teresa was named, and whose mystical spirituality was reflected in the young nun's short life, were displayed in the Basilica.

A procession having been formed, the Pope was carried through an immense crowd to venerate the newly beatified. After a short religious Service, the procession was re-formed, and the Pope was carried through the crowd to the Chapel of Michael Angelos Pieta, where he descended from the chair, returning through the Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament to his private apartment.—(Reuter.)

IRISH REPUBLICAN DELEGATES IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, Sunday.

The Irish agitators, Father O'Flanagan and Mr. O'Kelly, addressed a thousand Communists here to-day, and a collection was taken in spite of the prohibition of the Government.—(Reuter.)

NORTHERN BORDER REGULATIONS.

CONCESSION TO TRADERS.

NO SUNDAY MOTORING.

The Customs officials at Monaghan are beginning to have a busy time, our Monaghan Correspondent writes. Dutiable merchandise is now making its appearance, but everything is proceeding satisfactorily. All traffic is dealt with expeditiously, and with the minimum of inconvenience to the public.

An important concession for certain traders near the border is announced. Up to now purveyors of bread in northern towns adjacent to the frontier could not cross the border to sell bread without first coming to the Customs headquarters at Monaghan. It was thought that this regulation would result in killing the trade. The regulation also applies to certain other goods for sale. A decision has now been reached whereby traders crossing the border from the northern area to sell bread and certain other merchandise shall report in the beginning to the Monaghan headquarters, where they can obtain a certificate which will enable them to cross the frontier at any time, provided they carry with them and produce to the Customs outposts on the frontier authenticated forms properly completed. Then can then be dealt with by the officials at the outposts, and will be spared the trouble of reporting at the headquarters station.

Another important point is that motors are prohibited from crossing the frontier on Sundays under penalty of forfeiture.

MISS ELLIS'S ORDEAL.

PERSONAL ACCOUNT OF ABDUCTION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
ALLAHABAD, Saturday.

Stories are coming in from the frontier showing the great courage and grit displayed by Miss Mollie Ellis during her carrying off and captivity by the tribesmen of the North-West frontier. She has reconstructed the story of her abduction, tracing the gang's route through ravines and tracks intimately known to the miscreants' leader, Ajab.

Ajab's plans for the murder of Mrs. Ellis and the carrying off of Miss Ellis were laid with boldness and cunning, and were carried out with such meticulous care that it is no wonder that the searchers met with no success. Knowing that the passes had been closed, Ajab abandoned the well-known routes and staked all on secrecy.

Miss Ellis says that she realised that passes and beaten tracks were shunned because of the plague. The gang travelled over solitary wastes and deserted hills, trusting no one. On the night of the 17th Ajab's dwelling was reached, after a journey of seventy miles in the wild mountainous country.

The girl was dragged along by her captors, her flagging steps hastened by threats and hustling. Only once, when with bruised and bleeding feet, did she falter. This was when crossing a pass where the snow still lay. Here she was overcome by fatigue and the intense cold. She was wearing only her nightdress and a coat stained with the blood of her murdered mother. When she hesitated one of the gang drew a dagger and threatened to kill her if she did not continue the journey.

Through the long-drawn agony of the march, threatened and jostled by murderers, tied by each arm to members of the gang when sleeping, this wonderful girl's uncrushable spirit stood firm and unbroken. At Khuli Khan she wrote to her friends who were working for her release letters, which are an example of heroic fortitude. Her sentences were concise and business-like. She set forth her captors' demands, and expressed her gratitude to those striving to help her. There was no querulous note.

In one letter, as if by an after-thought, she wrote:—"Do not delay your efforts. These men will stick at nothing. They continually threaten to kill me."

ANTI-AEROPLANE RADIO.

A STARTLING STORY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

French aviation investigators in Germany report that the Germans have discovered a radio process which forces aircraft, however powerful, to land. The first successful operation of this new radio miracle was performed last month in the vicinity of Berlin by the Siemen's manufacturing experts.

Serious alarm is being felt in French circles at this news, which vitiates every effort towards the development of France's chief weapon in aviation. The waves used for stopping the aeroplane motors are described as waves of extraordinary potency, and special quality.

REVENUE FROM CASINOS.

LARGE SUMS TO RELIEVE FRENCH TAXPAYERS.

PARIS, Saturday.

Official statistics show that during 1922 the 128 casinos in France contributed a total of 109,868,921 francs in taxes to the State and to the local authorities. The State received 59,352,000 francs. The casino at Nice headed the list with 19,530,000 francs, Deauville coming next with 17,000,000 francs.—(Reuter.)

SHOTS AT SOLDIERS.

TWO ATTACKS IN DUBLIN.

Private Bernard Mackie, of the National Army, who was in mufti, was fired at near the home of his mother, 28 Upper Abbey street, Dublin, last night at about 10 o'clock by three young men. He escaped without injury, although five shots were fired at close range.

The soldier had reached the house No. 27, when the three men stepped out from the doorway, and, drawing revolvers, confronted him. He was unarmed, and when fire was opened ran towards his mother's house, which he reached just as the fifth shot was fired.

Private Mackie remained under cover for a short time. When he looked out he saw his assailants running at top speed some distance away. He reported the occurrence to the military guard on the *Irish Independent*, and a patrol was sent out.

The house, 27 Upper Abbey street, was raided without result.

Shortly after some shots were fired at two military patrols in the same area. The troops suffered no casualties, and the attackers escaped.

MOTOR CAR IN COLLISION.

THREE MEN DEAD; FOUR SERIOUSLY INJURED.

At Bradford on Saturday night a motor cab, with six Bradford passengers returning from a football match at Liversedge, collided with a tramway standard, with the result that the driver, Fred Cyrah, 20, and a passenger, Harry Bean, 21, labourer, were killed; while another of the party, Dan Maud, 48, also a labourer, died in hospital yesterday morning. Four other injured men, all of them labourers, were removed to hospital, suffering from serious injuries. Their names are: William Hird, John Bromley, Sam Downey, and Herbert Wade.

The scene of the accident was at the foot of a long hill, in the Caisterdyke district, which ends in a fairly sharp curve to the left. The cab apparently dashed across the curve, crashing into the tramway standard on the off side of the road, where it was smashed to bits.

M. CLEMENCEAU'S HEALTH.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Sunday.

Friends of M. Clemenceau are anxious as to the health of the veteran statesman. The death of Madame Sarah Bernhardt shocked "the Tiger" deeply, as they were old friends, and dined together once or twice weekly.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

MR. BONAR LAW

TO BE ABSENT FOR A MONTH

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Mr. Bonar Law has already left London, to begin his holiday and period of complete rest, which the doctors assure him are the only things necessary to ensure a permanent cure of his throat trouble. He will leave England either to-day or to-morrow, and will be away for about a month.

It has been suggested that the Prime Minister might make his sea trip in a yacht lent him by one of his supporters, but this will not be the case.

THE GERMAN OFFER.

A FORECAST.

In a message from Berlin yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—The Government is expected to complete the draft of its reparation offer to the Allies after the series of conferences between the Chancellor and the party leaders to-morrow. A meeting between the Chancellor and the Premiers of the Federal States is to be held in Berlin on Tuesday, and it is understood that the offer will be dispatched immediately afterwards.

There seems no reason to doubt the common view that the offer will follow very closely the lines of the so-called Bergmann scheme. This proposed twenty milliard gold marks (£1,000,000,000) down, to be raised by way of an international loan, and two further instalments, nominally of five milliards each, at later dates, the actual amount to be determined by an international Committee of experts, on which Committee Germany should have both representation and the power to vote.

The proposal involves the guarantee of the German industrialists, and would envisage some form of mutual disarmament on the part of Germany and France. By the new offer, therefore, the Bergmann scheme will be brought officially to the notice of the various Allied Governments concerned for the first time.

PRINCE IN BELGIUM.

A GRATEFUL TASK.

The Times, in a leading article upon the Prince of Wales's visit to Belgium, which it describes as a brilliant success, observes:—The programme would have proved exhausting to most men, but the Prince has a happy facility in the discharge of his onerous public duties which enables him to get through them with unfailing success. His task on this occasion was particularly grateful to him. Nothing, he said, could have been more agreeable to him than to take a personal part in the national tribute which England has been proud to pay to the heroic Belgian people.

The fine statue which he asked the King of the Belgians—himself a hero—to accept is primarily a token of "the deep and unchanging gratitude" which we feel towards them for the succour they gave our prisoners of war and our wounded. "The fruits of their loving kindness will abide for ever," as the inscription on its base proclaims. But those two graven soldiers, standing side by side in the busiest part of Brussels, are symbols of much more than our thankfulness for generous compassion shown our countrymen. They speak our gratitude for other and for rare virtues. They witness our thanks to Belgium for the sublime example she set all free and civilised peoples in the defence of freedom and of civilisation.

THE CRUSH IN THE STADIUM.

BETTER PREPARATIONS NEEDED.

Commenting editorially upon the scenes at Wembley Stadium on the occasion of the Cup final on Saturday, *The Times* remarks:—Though it is a matter for satisfaction that the results of the overcrowding were not more serious and that its victims on the whole behaved in a sensible manner, there must be no possibility of its repetition. For the moment we need not enter into the question of fixing the responsibility, which the governing body of the Football Association has disclaimed. Whoever actually was responsible was confronted in new surroundings with a task which for an undertaking of its kind was of unprecedented magnitude. However careful their preliminary calculations and arrangements, there was always the chance of their being upset by the unforeseen. That, in fact, is what happened.

For various reasons the army of spectators who came to Wembley by train and omnibus and motor coach was greater even than the most lavish forecast published in the Press. The wish to see the widely-advertised Stadium, the natural desire to cheer a London club on to victory, and the belief that there would be room for everyone attracted a far larger crowd than has ever before been compressed into a similar space. It may be that the same crush may never be seen again. But in case it should the authorities must be prepared for it. It is the least which the public will demand. The Football Association has itself before now heavily fined a club guilty of a similar want of preparation.

PROHIBITION LAWS.

OFFICIALS SENT TO PRISON.

The Times New York Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—Fifty-five men and women, most of them officers of Lake Country or the City of Gary, Indiana, were yesterday sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from one day to a year and a-half, and to pay fines as high as £400, for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Mayor Johnson, of Gary, received the maximum sentence and was ordered to pay the highest fine. The City Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of Gary got sentences of a year and a day, and were fined £200. The former Sheriff of Lake Country, who is now Chairman of the Gary Board of Public Works, suffered a like penalty.

INDIAN BANK FAILURE.

INTEREST IN LONDON.

In its City Notes *The Times* says:—The closing of the doors of the Alliance Bank of Simla, though not unexpected in many quarters, was, nevertheless, the chief subject of discussion in the City on Saturday. The London Money Market is interested in the failure in various ways, and there were many expressions of regret that the efforts of Sir David Yule, who became Chairman without remuneration only ten months ago, had not been successful in solving the Bank's difficulties.

There have fortunately been very few failures of Anglo-Indian banks, though failures of purely native banks have been numerous.

DEATH OF LORD CAREW.

THE NEW PEER.

The Times announces the death, at his London residence yesterday, of Lord Carew. Born in 1860, he succeeded his father in 1881 as third Baron in the Peerage. Lady Carew died last year, leaving no children.

The title passes to the late Peer's brother, George Patrick John Carew.

MADAME GONNE McBRIDE.

Mrs. Despard, speaking at a meeting in Sackville street, Dublin, yesterday, said that Madame Gonne McBride, who had been released from Kilmainham Jail on Thursday night after a prolonged hunger-strike, was making "hourly progress." She had been removed from the prison on a stretcher, in an extremely weak condition, and taken to her home, where she lies at present.

MINE OUTRAGES.

TWO BIG EXPLOSIONS.

RAILWAY PASSENGERS IN DANGER.

The central signal cabin, situated at the end of the platform at Amiens street Railway Station, Dublin, was almost entirely destroyed by a mine explosion shortly before ten o'clock on Saturday night. Passengers leaving Dublin by the 9.50 o'clock train for Drogheda had a terrifying experience. Their carriages were passing the cabin just as the explosion occurred, and many of the occupants received superficial injuries from flying fragments of the carriage windows which were smashed by the masonry and woodwork of the cabin.

Three young men were observed sitting on a seat on the Howth line platform about half an hour before the explosion occurred, with what appeared to be a large brown paper parcel beside them. Just before the 9.50 train left they walked towards the end of the platform, near which the cabin stood.

Three men entered the cabin at about 9.50. Producing revolvers, they ordered the man in charge to leave, and accompanied him for some distance along the permanent way towards Clontarf. They placed Mr. Carr, the signalman, in charge of some other men, and returned to the signal cabin, put a land mine in it, and retreated. The military sentries became suspicious, and the guard was turned out and opened fire on the men. At the same moment a deafening explosion occurred, and the signal cabin was almost wrecked.

TRAIN STRUCK BY FRAGMENTS.

The train, carrying about 200 passengers for Drogheda and intermediate stations, was just passing the cabin at the time of the explosion, and several of the carriages at the rear were struck by fragments of brick and woodwork, which were hurled with tremendous force. No less than thirty panes of glass in the compartments were blown to bits, and about seventeen passengers were struck with flying fragments. About ten of them were badly cut about the face. Some young women and a soldier were among the injured. Others threw themselves flat on the floors of the carriages.

The train proceeded as far as Clontarf, where it pulled up, and the passengers, who were greatly excited, got out. The stationmaster sent for Surgeon-Major Healy and Dr. Walker, and also called the Corporation ambulance. It was found, however, that the injured passengers had only superficial wounds, although some were bleeding a good deal. One young woman had received a rather deep cut over the rigt eye, but no one had to be removed to hospital.

The stationmaster communicated with stations further along the line, so that medical assistance might be available if necessary when the train reached them. Three of the wounded passengers alighted at Portmarnock and seven at Balbriggan, but the names of any of them could not be ascertained.

The military at Clontarf stopped and searched all vehicles passing along the Malahide road after the explosion.

AN EXCHANGE OF RIFLE FIRE.

The 9.30 p.m. train from Howth arrived at Clontarf while the Drogheda and Dublin train was stationary there, and Mr. Walker, outdoor superintendent of the line, who was a passenger, went to Amiens street on an engine to make an investigation. On returning he had the train run into the main arrival platform owing to the dislocation of the levers in the signal cabin.

When the military fired on the three young men, who were running along the permanent way towards Clontarf, revolver and rifle fire was opened by men who had got on to roofs of some of the railway sheds and buildings in Amiens street.

Lieutenant-Smith, of the Railway Transport Department, during the exchange of shots, went on to the line with a rifle and had a narrow escape, a bullet striking a brick about an inch above his head. A soldier was struck in the thumb of the left hand by a ricochetting bullet. The object apparently of the men on the housetops was to cover the retreat of the three men whom the guard had fired on, as the firing ceased when these men had escaped.

The cabin, which is described as a key signal cabin, was one of the largest in the country, and contained 125 levers, which were used for controlling the points for the Great Northern Railway, the Great Southern and Western Railway, and the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway when these companies' trains are passing through the station.

The platform and the line at the station yesterday showed evidence of the force of the explosion. There was much broken glass and wood and brick scattered around. The clock in the signal box, which was put out of action, indicated the hour as 9.55. The glass of the face was unbrokn.

It was stated yesterday that the explosion will cause little, if any, interruption to the railway services.

The portion of the cabin that was most seriously damaged was pulled down yesterday afternoon by means of an engine and chain hawser.

The damage is estimated at between £5,000 and £6,000.

COSTLY OUTRAGE IN RATHMINES.

DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT WRECKED.

The extensive drapery establishment of Messrs. Edward Lee and Co., Rathmines, were badly injured by a mine explosion yesterday morning. The damage is estimated at between £15,000 and £20,000. One or two of the assistants, who were in the residential portion of the building, suffered from slight cuts, caused by broken pieces of glass, but, fortunately, no one was seriously injured. One assistant, a young man, had just left his room to attend Mass when the explosion took place. He had a lucky escape, as his bed was twisted out of shape by the force of the explosion.

Messrs. Lee's premises formed a handsome modern building on the principal thoroughfare of Rathmines. The house was three-storey high, built in 1910, and had only recently been redecorated. Now not a window remains intact, and every floor has been damaged.

At a quarter-past nine o'clock the residents were alarmed by a frightful explosion that shook some of the houses, and was heard distinctly in the centre of the city and as far away as Dundrum.

It appears that at least three men actually took part in the outrage, while a fourth, who presumably drove them to within a short distance of the shop in a stolen taxi-car, waited for their return. Three young men were seen coming along Rathmines road by a police constable on "point" duty near the shop. Two of them walked over to the constable, and, with revolvers drawn, ordered him to leave. The other man smashed one of the large plate glass windows of the establishment on the Rathmines road side of the entrance, and placed a mine inside. The men then ran towards Grosvenor road, in the direction of Harold's Cross, apparently with the intention of getting into the taxi-car, but something seems to have gone amiss with the car, for it was afterwards found abandoned, and was taken possession of by the military. This car, it is stated, was seized from a driver at Clondalkin on the previous day, and belongs to the A. and B. Taxis, Ltd.

SHOP BLOWN OUT.

Scarcely had the men disappeared when the mine exploded, carrying away the whole of

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the extensive shop front, and wrecking the interior of the shop for a long distance back.

The floors and roofs above were badly damaged, but the building, which was erected on the cantilever principle, resisted the concussion; otherwise there seems to be no doubt that the entire premises would have been destroyed.

The late Mr. O'Dwyer's grocery store, which is on one side of Messrs. Lee's, and Messrs. Hayes, Conyngham and Robinson's, chemists, shop, on the other side, were also damaged. Mr. O'Dwyer, it will be remembered, was shot dead in his shop some months ago while serving a customer.

On the opposite side of the street the large plate glass windows in the branch of the Bank of Ireland were blown out. Windows were also broken in the premises of Messrs. Anthony O'Grady, J. J. Bailey, the Stella Cinema, Bolton and Co., Coyle, White, and Reddick.

Mr. Lee, one of the directors, who was seen after the explosion, stated that he was at a loss to understand why his shop had been selected for destruction. He was glad that none of his assistants had sustained any injury, although they ran a terrible risk.

A body of policemen, in charge of Superintendent McGarry, and a party of military from Portobello Barracks arrived on the scene, and kept the thoroughfare free, while the roadmen of the Urban Council were brought out to clear the *débris* from the street. Workmen were employed later in putting up hoardings at the premises.

It is expected that business will be resumed in Messrs. Lee's shop before the end of the week.

RAILWAY WORKERS.

N.U.R. PRESIDENT SPEAKS AT DUBLIN MEETING.

A mass meeting of Dublin railwaymen was held in the Round Room of the Dublin Mansion House on Saturday—Mr. T. C. Daly, of Broadstone No. 1 Branch, presiding—to hear Mr. John Marchbank, the newly-elected President of the National Union of Railwaymen.

Mr. Marchbank said that the workers all over the world were faced with difficulties unprecedented in the history of the trade union movement. There was never a greater necessity for consolidation of the forces of trade unionism. It was now evident that railwaymen were confronted with another struggle. A deliberate and desperate attempt was again about to be made to upset the conditions that had been established between the years 1918 and 1920. In this crisis it was absolutely necessary that all sections of workers in the railway industry should be organised into one railway trade union. The union was now making a last attempt to give effect to the decision of the British Parliament of Labour with a view to the amalgamation of unions in given industries. (Applause.)

Mr. Marchbank reminded Irish rail workers that they were in the midst of changed conditions in the railway shops, where the craftsman was being displaced by the machine. The steam locomotive, also, would soon be a thing of the past, and electrification would shortly be the order of the day.

The grouping system on the other side of the Channel, he said, was looked upon as simply a stepping-stone to ultimate nationalisation of the railways of England and Scotland, and he concluded by hoping that when next he comes to Ireland he will be able to address railwaymen who are the servants of the State and not of the private railway companies.

Mr. J. Gordon, of the N.U.R. Approved Society; Mr. J. Bermingham, Irish Secretary, and others also addressed the meeting.

LICENSING REFORM.

RESOLUTION BY ARMAGH TEMPERANCE MEETING.

A meeting was held at the City Hall, Armagh, on Saturday, Mr. McVitty presiding, in support of the movement for licensing reform in Northern Ireland. On the previous night the hall had been used for a meeting of protest against any restriction licensing legislation.

Rev. Daniel Dowling, Armagh, said that Sir James Craig needed every assistance towards passing the Temperance Bill. At the anti-prohibition meeting in the Hall the previous night it was stated that the brewer and the publican were friends of the working man, but the speaker declared that such a statement was absolutely false. If Sir James Craig passed a bill giving local option there could be no doubt as to the course which the people would follow.

A resolution was passed, on the motion of Rev. J. Gailey, Belfast, seconded by Mrs. Moffatt Clow, Portadown, calling for provisions in the bill to abolish the bona-fide system, to suppress spirit grocers' licences, and to effect entire Sunday closing. The age limit for sale should be raised to 18 years.

Rev. Mr. Gailey said the world was now rising against the liquor traffic, which was mankind's greatest and most destructive enemy.

Mrs. Clow said that Sir James Craig's bill was mild and reasonable. If they could rid the country of alcoholism, it would be one of the finest and most progressive countries on the earth. She appealed to women to rise to a sense of their responsibility, as they had to protect their children and safeguard their homes against the tyrannical drink traffic.

JOURNALISTS' INSTITUTE.

ANNUAL DINNER IN DUBLIN.

The annual dinner of the Dublin and Irish District of the Institute of Journalists, which was dropped during the years of the war, was revived on Saturday night, when eighty members and friends dined in the Dolphin Hotel.

County Court Judge Johnston, K.C., who proposed the toast of the Institute, said that the Press was the most powerful institution in the world, and he hoped that the great power which the members of the profession possessed would be wielded in the interests of the public and in the interests of the State.

Mr. T. W. Murphy, who responded, said that there were three things of which the Institute of Journalists might be proud. First, it had taught its members a standard of professional etiquette; second, it looked after their material interests in providing against sickness and unemployment, and, third, should a member unfortunately pass away it made provision for his orphans. It was highly desirable that there should be an organisation to put before them a standard of professional conduct, and he thought that if the Institute did nothing more than that it would be deserving of the support of all journalists. (Applause.) It was the proud boast of the Institute that the orphan of a member had never knocked at its door without receiving a ready answer. (Hear, hear.)

The toast of "Our Guests" was submitted by Mr. J. P. Gaynor, and Captain Daly replied.

Proposing "Our Musical Friends," Mr. T. J. W. Kenny (Galway) said that the provincial Press in the last six years had made wonderful advances from the purely commercial point of view, and he did not see why the journalists who made that prosperity possible should not share in it. (Hear, hear.) He was glad to feel that an understanding on that subject was likely soon to be reached at a conference between representatives of the Institute and of the provincial newspaper proprietors.

Mr. Cranfield, in replying, said that it had been a very great pleasure for the members of the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society to contribute to the enjoyment of the evening. He returned thanks very heartily for the reception given them, and hoped there would be many such functions in future.

Mr. Harold White also responded.

Mr. H. Briscoe proposed "The Chairman" (Mr. W. Charles Chillingworth). His colleagues, he said, were very proud of him.

In his reply, Mr. Chillingworth pointed out that a journalist who belonged to the Institute and to the sister organisation, the Press Fund, was absolutely independent. No insurance that a journalist could pay could give anything like the same security as these organisations against unemployment, sickness, or other misfortune. This year the Press Fund celebrated its diamond jubilee, and it was the intention of the Fund, if possible, to raise enough money to provide that any member who, after a certain age, became incapacitated would be provided with a pension. There was no other organisation that could attempt to make such provision out of its funds.

The musical programme was supplied by members of the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society, and was mainly selected from the works of Gilbert and Sullivan. Especially agreeable were the quartets, "A Regular Royal Queen," "Strange Adventure," and "Brightly Dawns our Wedding Day." Mr. Harold White played the accompaniments. During the serving of the dinner, Mr. Clarke Barry's band, personally conducted, contributed a programme of light music.

A REFUSAL TO HALT.

LADY CYCLIST WOUNDED.

MILITARY OPERATIONS IN KERRY.

According to an official report which was issued in Dublin last night, Miss Albina Brodrick, while cycling in Kerry, refused to obey the challenge of a military party to halt. The soldiers fired and Miss Brodrick was wounded in the leg.

Three armed men who failed to get into the house of a rate collector in Youghal flung a bomb through the glass panel of the door. Fortunately the bomb was defective and failed to explode.

A policeman in Cork on Saturday seized one of three men who had raided a shop. The man and his companions fired their revolvers, and in the excitement that followed all of them got away.

COUNTY KERRY.

CHALLENGE BY SOLDIERS.

LADY CYCLIST WOUNDED.

The following statement was issued by Army Headquarters in Dublin last night:—

"Troops operating in the Sneem area, County Kerry, on Saturday, came into contact with a party of Irregulars at Derrylea, when a prolonged engagement ensued. Due to the mountainous condition of the country, the Irregulars succeeded in evading capture. On a search of the area the troops located six drums of Lewis gun ammunition, two Lee Enfield rifles, and a number of bicycles.

"In the Muckross district an Irregular named John O'Shea, has been arrested by the troops.

Miss Albinia Brodrick, who has been actively associated with the Irregulars in Kerry, refused to obey repeated challenges to halt when found cycling between West Cove and Sneem on Saturday. The troops operating in the area opened fire, and Miss Brodrick was wounded in the right leg. When the challenge was given Miss Brodrick increased the speed of her machine and endeavoured to get away.

"In the Killorglin area, a Service rifle with a quantity of ammunition has been surrendered to the troops."

COUNTY CORK.

RAIDERS IN YOUGHAL.

BOMB FLUNG INTO A DWELLINGHOUSE.

On Saturday night three masked and armed men called to Mr. John E. Farrell, town collector, De Valera street, Youghal, and demanded the rate books in the name of the I.R.A. Mrs. Farrell, who answered their knock, replied that the books were not there, and becoming suspicious slammed the door. They next insisted on seeing Mr. Farrell. When they failed to gain admittance they flung a bomb through the stained glass door into the hall, where it, fortunately, failed to explode. They then ran off. Mr. Farrell recently summoned several persons for rates, and obtained decrees, some of which were executed.

CORK CITY.

SHOTS IN A STREET.

An exciting scene was witnessed on Saturday evening in the vicinity of North Gate Bridge, Cork. Three armed men raided a shop in North Main street, and when leaving were followed by a clerk, who shouted "Robbers!" A Civic Guardsman who was on duty on North Gate Bridge seized one of the men, who drew his revolver and fired. The other two also fired several shots. In the excitement the man in custody got away, and the three ran up Shandon street firing shots. Fortunately, no person was injured.

COUNTY DONEGAL.

SIGNAL CABIN BURNED.

At about 3 o'clock yesterday morning the signal cabin at Carrigans Railway Station was destroyed by fire. It is believed to have been caused by a small band of men who are roaming about Donegal. Carrigans is the first station in Donegal after leaving Derry on the Great Northern line. When news of the occurrence reached the Special Constabulary on border duty reinforcements were sent to the frontier from Derry City.

COUNTY DUBLIN.

ARMS SURRENDERED.

Six rifles and a parcel of gelignite were received by Mr. Thomas Dowling, Chairman of the Dalkey Urban Council, and by him handed over to the military.

WEST BELFAST.

TEMPERANCE PARTY AND BY-ELECTION.

In connection with the West Belfast by-election, in which polling takes place on Wednesday, the Northern Ireland Temperance Party has issued a statement expressing satisfaction with the replies of Sir Joseph Davison to a series of questions submitted by the Party, and calling on all temperance workers to vote in his favour. No replies were received to similar questions submitted to Colonel P. J. Wood, C.M.G., D.S.O., the ex-Servicemen's candidate.

There is much speculation as to how the very large Nationalist element in the division will vote, but it is anticipated that the majority of Nationalists will vote in favour of Colonel Wood, for the reason that Sir Joseph Davison is the official Unionist candidate. A close contest is expected.

TRAINING IN DANCING.

MR. LEGGETT BYRNE COMPLIMENTED.

Mr. and Mrs. Leggett Byrne's pupils' performance was repeated in the Theatre Royal on Saturday afternoon before a crowded and enthusiastic "house." At the conclusion of the performance, Surgeon McArdle, on behalf of the parents and children, thanked Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Leggett Byrne, and "Madame Wanda," for their good work and great kindness to the children. He expressed amazement at the wonderful results of the training, not only in respect of the seniors, but with the very young pupils. Handsome presentations were made to Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Leggett Byrne, "Madame Wanda," and members of the staff.

Mr. Leggett Byrne, in acknowledging the gifts, expressed gratitude to the parents and children and helpers for all that they had done to make the matinées such successes. He presented Mr. Bolton, the musical director, with a silver cigarette case.

TERRIFIED RAIDERS.

CAPTURED IN A FARMER'S HOUSE.

An amusing story is told in Cork of the capture of three men who had gone about the country in the Blarney district demanding money from householders. At the home of a widow they took away a sum of five and sixpence—all the money in the place. A farmer was next visited, and a demand was made for £10. Going upstairs to get the money the farmer loaded a shot-gun and fired it through the window. The raiders immediately dashed from the house and ran into the arms of the farmer's sons, who, after a struggle, brought them back. After a time a mock trial was held, and the three men, who were now thoroughly alarmed, were sentenced to death. They asked to see a clergyman. When their names and addresses had been obtained they were liberated, after a severe caution had been given to them.

TO THE EDITOR.

THE IRISH POLICE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A standing grievance in times not remote was that the Royal Irish Constabulary was not under local control, but was an Imperial force, with headquarters in Dublin, where recruits were also trained; while in England, except in London, the police were paid and controlled by public bodies. Yet in the force which is now being substituted for the R.I.C. the system so much complained of and resented is retained. The Dépôt in the Phœnix Park is utilised for the same purpose as formerly, and the organisation and command are as much centralised. In normal circumstances police duty in Ireland was of the most humdrum nature; but the military equipment and Government connection, together with certain hostile duties, kept the R.I.C. as if it were encamped in a foreign country, though it was drawn from the ranks of the people.

Notwithstanding glowing newspaper rhetoric, the same fate would seem to threaten the replacing force unless, as across Channel, the raising and maintenance are put under what are there termed "Watch Committees," nominated by county and borough councils. The claim for this is further justified by the fact that Ireland has now to pay for her policing, whereas the millions for the R.I.C. were provided from the English Treasury. Dublin should also occupy in this respect the same position as Liverpool, Manchester, etc., in the control of its police force, nor could it wish for a better than the D.M.P. under new conditions.—Yours, etc.,

"W. J. F."

Dublin, April 28th, 1923.

THACKERAY AND IRELAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—A recent leading article in the *Irish Times* spoke of "the Irishman's dislike of that *soupçon* of British superiority which Thackeray betrays in his 'Irish Sketch Book.'" Now, I will compile a nice little book in praise of Ireland and the Irish from that very "Sketch Book"—and do it for love, if anyone will print it. Over and over again in it people and things here are contrasted with those "beyant"—to our advantage. If he tells of dusty museums and inns, he tells also of clean ones. The people that he is hardest on are vulgar English tourists. When he wrote of Emmett, and of Kilmainham Jail as a spot where Irishmen may go and pray, he did not foresee that Irishmen themselves would destroy the noble buildings that he extolled. When he notes the wonderful colour of the Dublin hills he says: "It seems to me to be quite a different colour to that in England—different shaped clouds, different shadows and lights." His daughter noticed the same thing long after when she was about to write the introduction to "Castle Rackrent" and "The Absentee."

Although Thackeray's life has not been written, we get many glimpses of him in other lives. In the preface to "Jane Eyre," and still more in her letters, Charlotte Brontë has told what she thought of his genius. His mother and wife were Irish. When he was ill and was asked which of all his friends he would wish to see he said, "Old Fitz." Now, Edward Fitzgerald wrote of himself "I am—Paddy."

In the Synod week of 1876 Thackeray's Mr. G——, then Bishop of Cork, preached in the Bethesda Church. His son, the Bishop of Ossory, was one of the congregation. Many of his old hearers were there, and were disappointed that the sermon lasted only for a little more than an hour. I thought he would never stop, and remember not a word of his sermon.—Yours, etc.,

"K."

Carrick, April 27th, 1923.

THE STAMPING OF EGGS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I wonder whether the egg merchants of the Free State realise that after the Merchandise Marks Bill becomes law all eggs shipped to this country from the Free State must be stamped. In other words, they will be classed in the same category as Polish, Chinese, Lithuanian, Russian and other eggs, while eggs coming from Northern Ireland and eggs from England will be sold without any stamp.

The object of the stamp is to prevent Continental eggs from being sold as Irish or English. It will penalise merchants in the Free State, who will be compelled to stamp every egg and thus will be classed with Continental countries, whose eggs are very often much inferior.—Yours, etc.,

DAVID MULLEN.

92-100 Dunlop street, Glasgow,
April 28th, 1923.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, April 30th, 1923.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.—CHANCERY DIVISION.—Lord Chief Justice of Ireland. In Lunacy. Before the Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Adj. summons, Moucey and Son; settle report, Edmundson and Parke; summons, J. F. M'Dermott; statement, Mecredy and Son; adj. summons, H. E. Thompson; summons, J. Fagan. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Vch. acct., Fullerton and Doyle. Lord Chief Justice's Chamber. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Norman, a minor; Woodbyrne, minors; Nicholson, a minor; Rooney, minors; Wallace; Moughty, minors; Kearns, minors; Duignan, minors.

ROLLS COURT.—In Court No. 2, at 11 o'clock. In Chamber—P. Butler, decd., Lynch v. Butler; Inchicore Co-operative Society; Orpen-Palmer v. Hayes; T. Clyne, decd., Lennon v. Clyne; A. A. Richardson, decd., Richardson v. Richardson; Levinge v. Levinge; J. A. M'Connell, decd., Mitchell v. Jordan; M. Corby, decd., Corby v. Corby; Armstrong v. Bell; MacDonagh v. Wilson; Mulpetre v. Montgomery; Gribbin v. Leonard; Hibernian Bank v. Young; Moore v. Flack. Wednesday. Action—Hewson v. Dewar. Thursday. Actions—Wright v. Mullins; Bohan v. Maloney. Adjourned Summons—O'Neill v. O'Neill.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—Before Lord Justice O'Connor, in Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Motion—Kennedy v. Phelan. At Chambers—O'Farrell, decd., Hickey v. Farrell; S.L. Acts and O'Dell; S.L. Acts and Shackleton. For Wednesday. Action—Everard v. Crinnion. Adjourned Summons—Barton v. Castlemaine. For Thursday. Action—Hardy v. Hardy. Before the Chief Clerk (Room 46)—Doran v. O'Reilly, sign cert.; Malone-Barrett v. Rooney; Langley v. Foley; Flanagan v. Gray; Walsh v. Blayney; Findlater v. Minchull; Henry v. Mathews; O'Connor v. Reilly. Before Dr. Webb—Sheridan v. Wilson, vouch account.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Denning, at 11 o'clock. Experts Taxations—May v. O'Neill, Smyth and Son; Murphy v. Power, Fullerton and Doyle; Provincial Bank v. [illegible], J. Tweedy; Cooke v. Farrell, J. J. Molloy; Gavagan to Meldon and Co., Meldon and Co., M. C. O'Meara: a person of unsound mind, Fails and Co. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—Nicholson v. Graham, E. E. Merrick; Donnelly v. Byrne, M. Nork; Farrow's Bank v. Bodkin, W. Fry and Son; Staples to Hawthorne, J. Hawthorne; Robinson v. Robinson, C. H. Denroche, Taylor, Son, and Robinson.

LAND JUDGES.—At 25 Upper Merrion street. Receiver Office. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock. Application for Directions—Sutton v. O'Brien; Downes v. Naughton; Yorkshire Insurance Co. v. Kavanagh; W. D. G. Muller estate, at 11.30 o'clock; Receiver's Accounts—I.L.C. v. Thane, C. Lloyd and Son; Murray v. Fitzgerald, J. R. Peart.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Crown Side—Experts Motions. Civil Side—Experts Motions. Action—Summers v. Cullinan. Garnishee Order—O'Mahony v. Noonan. Special Case Stated (Revenue)—Arthur Guinness, Son and Co., applts., the Commrs. of Inland Revenue and Morris, respts. Crown Side—Continued—The King v. Flynn, Cahill. On Notice—Birmingham v. Richardson; Kantoher Co-operative Society v. Fagan; Eastwood and ors. v. Burn; O'Flaherty v. Gethings; Shelly v. Triston; Cooney and Co. v. Clarke; Cooper v. Kelly.

TRIALS BY JURY.—Before Mr. Justice Pim—Court No. 4, at 11—City Special—The Irish Kinematograph Co. (1920) v. Wm. Coates and Son, and a counterclaim (breach of contract); Bradshaw v. the Local Government Board for Ireland (goods sold). A very large attendance of City Special Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, in Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. Absent Jurors will be fined. Before Mr. Justice Samuels.—In Court No. 5, at 11—City Common—Clapperton v. Barnes (personal injuries); Keer v. Higgins (slander); M'Govern v. Murtagh (price of textile); Haughney v. Geoghegan (negligence). Non-Jury—Jones and Lane v. Bez (goods supplied). A very large attendance of City Common Jurors is required this morning at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, in Court No. 5, at 11 o'clock. Absent Jurors will be fined. For Tuesday.—City Common—Shields and anor. v. Martin (probate); Kavanagh v. Prendergast (probate); Coleman v. G.S. and W. Rly. Co. (personal injuries); Cullinane v. Cronin (breach of warranty); Donohugh v. Rowley, Sons and Co. (breach of contract); Mathews v. D.U. Trams Co. (1896) (negligence). Non-Jury—O'Donnell v. O'Connell (on notice). For Wednesday.—City Special—Woods v. the Irish National Assce. Co., Ltd. (breach of contract); M'Givern v. Postlethwaite and a counterclaim (breach of contract). City Common—Manly v. the Minister of Defence and anor.; Kerr and anor. v. the Minister of Defence and anor. (goods sold). For Thursday.—City Special—O'Neill v. Hutchinson (personal injuries). City Common—Bartholomew v. Nugent (breach of warranty). Non-Jury—Stevenson v. Dolan and anor. (trespass); O'Brien v. O'Shaughnessy (assault); Kennedy v. Guardians of the Poor, Bantry Union (goods sold). For Friday.—Non-Jury—Murphy v. Moylett, and counterclaim (possession); Minchin v. Minchin (instrument).

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers—Upper Merrion street—Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11—James Moran (E.C. 5188), sch. Before Mr. Steble, at 10.30—C. W. M'Dowell (E.C. 408) (Lowe's superior interest), disch. rulings. At 11—Rebekah L. Pyne and ors. (E.C. 4470) (Attwood's superior interest), disch. rulings and sch. At 12—Walter Isaac Nugent (E.C. 8121), sch. At 3—Arthur O.R. Roe (C.P.R. 10,127), disch. rulings. Before Mr. Franks, at 3—R. Beamish (E.C. 6546) (Humphrey's sect.).

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11—Arrangt., ac. comp., F. J. Allen; do. do., re. Hoey and Denning; do. settle title and conditions of sale, E. F. Collins.

BEFORE THE RECORDER, at 11—Dunne v. Dolan; Hanlon v. Terenure Laundry Co.; Jellie v. Yard; Kidd v. Kaiser; Latter v. Walls; M'Arthur v. Horan; Reid v. Woods; Woods v. Rose; Bradford Dairy Co. v. Dublin Pure Ice Co.; Holohan v. M'Neany; Mullen v. Walsh; Smyth v. Corporation of Dublin; Tighe v. Lloyd; Walsh v. Postmaster-General and Hawkins Motor Co.; Hyland v. Murphy; Ryan v. Talmteau; Miley v. Healy—ejectment; Healy v. Miley; Barrett v. Connolly; Corporation of Dublin v. Mannell; Robinson v. Brien; Hubbard v. Miller; M'Cormick v. B. and I. S. Packet Co.; Sikes v. Purcell; Toffoli v. Ronan; Bomeet v. Waddington; Crane v. Thompson; de Courcy v. Callanan; Hyland v. Murphy; Ledlie v. Express Auto Co.; Mulcahy v. D.U. Tram Co.; Codis v. Creagan; Monroe v. M'Mullen; Murphy v. Ryan; M'Birney v. Noonan; Cottie v. L.S.E. Motor Co.; Curran v. Armour.

M.G.W. RAILWAY CLERKSHIPS (MALE). Exam. Announced for 7th June. Last exam., August, 1922. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 75 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin—Messrs. Feeney, O'Brien, Grogan, Clarken, Travers, Ryan, M'Govern, Hourigan, Carbery, Craig, M'Gonnell, Rice, and Quinn. Best Result. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

To-Day's Engagements.

Gaiety Theatre—"Polly," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"The 20th Century Minstrels," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"East Lynne," 6.45 and 8.45.
The Carlton—"Fascination," continuous.
Bohemian—"The Song of Life," continuous.
Sackville—"Beautifully Trimmed," continuous.
Princess, Rathmines—"The Perfect Lover," continuous.
Metropole Cinema—"Oliver Twist," 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.
Corinthian—Viligraphy Special and "Golf," continuous.
Stella, Rathmines—"The Young Diana," continuous.
Grafton—"Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford," continuous.
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Lady from Long Acre," continuous.
La Scala—"Sowing the Wind," continuous.
Paintings, Etchings, and Woodcuts—35 Great Brunswick street, 11 to 6 p.m.
Geographical Society, Royal Irish Academy House, 4.15 p.m.
Dancing Display, Abbey Theatre, 7.30 p.m.
Alexandra College—Lecture, 4 o'clock.
Bibliographical Society—Royal Irish Academy House, 8 p.m.
Dublin Corporation, 3 p.m.
Sworn Inquiry, Dublin Union.
Stewart Institution, Molesworth street, 4.30.
Rotary Club Luncheon, 1 o'clock.
Balrothery Union Inquiry.

DUBLIN.

ST. VINCENT'S GIRLS' ORPHANAGE.—In St. Saviour's Church, Dominick street, Dublin, yesterday, an appeal for funds for St. Vincent's Girls' Orphanage, North William street, was made by the Very Rev. F. M. Browne, S.J. Father Browne said that Dublin boasted many charitable institutions, but none was, perhaps, so deserving of praise and consideration as St. Vincent's Girls' Orphanage. For fifty years the Sisters of Charity there had taught and trained young girls, and had fitted them for their fight in the world. As the orphanage had no Government grant, and depended solely on public charity, the people of Dublin were placed in a position of showing their sincere approval of the work. Appeals for the institution were also made in St. Peter's Church, Phibsborough, and in the Church of St. Agatha, North William street.

DROWNED IN THE LIFFEY.—At an inquest in Dublin on Saturday on the body of Katherine Dillon (29), which was recovered from the River Liffey on Friday, the jury found that death was due to drowning. There was no evidence to show how the woman came to be in the water.

CHARGE AGAINST INSURANCE CLERK.—On Saturday, in the Dublin Police Court, John J. Johnson, who had been employed as a clerk in the Health Insurance Office of the Irish Transport Workers' Union, Dublin, was committed for trial with having on various dates in 1921 misappropriated insurance moneys to his own use. It was alleged that he forged the names of beneficiaries to cheques, the total defalcations amounting to £1,000. Bail in two sureties of £500 each was allowed.

PRESENTATION.—On his resignation from the staff of Messrs. Kidd's, Ltd., to take over the management of the Red Bank Restaurant, Mr. Ernest Hess was presented by the staff with a silver salver and silver-mounted salad bowl, and by Grafton street customers with a silver match box, suitably inscribed.

PORTABLE CUSTOMS HOUSE.—A one-storey Customs house, complete with slated roof, was landed from a British steamer at the port of Dublin on Saturday, and will be taken by rail to Omeath, Co. Louth.

BOOKMAKERS' CLERKS FINED.—In the Dublin Police Court on Saturday, fines of £5 were imposed on John Lynch, 10 Temple place, and John Cannon, 20 Ranelagh road, described as bookmakers' clerks, on charges of loitering in Ranelagh for betting purposes.

CONNAUGHT.

BOYLE-CARRICK AMALGAMATION.—It was again declared, at a meeting of Boyle No. 1 Council, that it did not want to force amalgamation on Carrick-on-Shannon No. 2 Council, which has already declared against amalgamation. The Local Government Department has issued an order that the Council must be amalgamated.

PUBLICHOUSE RAIDED.—A party of men forced an entrance to O'Hara's publichouse at Cootehall, Boyle, smashed the furniture, broke bottles and drank a quantity of whiskey. They then set fire to the place and decamped. A number of people extinguished the fire before much damage had been done.

LEINSTER.

CLAIM FOR SABOTAGE.—The Great Southern and Western Railway has sent a claim for £7,300 to the King's County Council for damage to a bridge at Ballycumber, Clara, and for the wrecking of a train.

BALROTHERY INQUIRY.—An inquiry, ordered by the Minister of Local Government into the performance of their duties by the Balrothery, Co. Dublin, Poor Law Guardians and Rural District Council was opened in Balrothery Workhouse on Saturday. The inspector announced that as the Guardians and members of the Council had pointed out that Saturday was an awkward day for them to attend, he had decided to defer the taking of evidence until this morning.

LATE MR. ETCHINGHAM.—Gorey District Council on Saturday passed a resolution tendering sympathy to the relatives of the late Mr. John R. Etchingham, and adjourned without transacting any business.

MUNSTER.

DRINK AND CHILD NEGLECT.—The report presented at the annual meeting of the Limerick Branch of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children showed that the receipts were £132, and the expenditure £277. During the year 137 complaints were investigated. In 100 cases the offenders were warned; five were prosecuted and convicted. The Dean of Limerick said that drunkenness was at the root of all the neglect. If they had no drunkenness there would be no need for the Society. The report was adopted.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—There are indications that a large depression is developing South-West of Iceland, and the West to South-West winds over the British Isles are likely to freshen. Weather will be mainly cloudy and rather mild, and rain is likely at times in all districts.

Ireland.—Wind West to South-West, moderate, increasing; a good deal of cloud; rain at times; visibility moderate; rather mild.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland; North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind increasing from South-West; a good deal of cloud; rain at times; mist or fog in places; sea rather rough.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Moderate West or South-West winds, increasing; a good deal of cloud; rain at times; mist or fog locally; sea moderate to rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

WEATHER FORECAST.

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Saturday		29.70
" Sunday		29.70

HIGH WATER.

To-day....	Morning	11.46	Evening	12.10
To-morrow..	"	12.31	"	12.54

SUMMER TIME.

SUN.

To-day....	Rises	5.55	Sets	8.51
To-morrow..	"	5.53	"	8.53
LIGHTING-UP TIME				9.51

HIGH WATER.

BELFAST.

To-day....	Morning	11. 6	Evening	11.27
To-morrow..	"	11.57	"	12.17

QUEENSTOWN.

To-day....	Morning	5.42	Evening	6. 6
To-morrow..	"	6.28	"	6.52

LIMERICK AND G.S.W.R. BOARD VACANCY.—Limerick Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution, suggesting that the directors of the Great Southern and Western Railway should fill the vacancy on the board caused by the death of Mr. J. Perry Goodbody by co-opting a representative of the trade interests of the City of Limerick.

82 YEARS IN THE WORKHOUSE.—The death has taken place in Nenagh Infirmary of a woman named Mary Anne Hennessy, at the age of 102, 82 of which she had spent in the Union, having entered it at the age of 20, when she went blind. She spent much of her time in bed, but was of a very kindly and patient disposition. She retained her mental faculties to the last. Nenagh Workhouse was built 83 years ago.

DEATH AT 116.—Our Nenagh Correspondent writes:—The death has taken place of Mr. Patrick Ryan, of Clare Glens, Newport, Co. Tipperary, at the age of 116. Ryan had a clear recollection of things that have happened since 1840, and was fond of recounting episodes in local and national history.

SCHOOL BOYS' STRIKE OVER.—The strike of pupils in the Christian Brothers' Schools, Midleton, terminated on Friday, when the boys returned to their work, but gave no undertaking to remain at their studies while the "old time" is observed by the management.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

AWARDS FOR BURNINGS.—Decrees amounting to £24,800 were given in the Belfast Claims Court on Saturday in respect of damages caused by incendiary fires to city warehouses last year. Messrs. Gracey Bros., jam merchants and wholesale egg and produce merchants, received £18,500 by consent for damage to their warehouse in Lancaster street, on March 25, 1922. Messrs. William Tait and Company, Limited, were given a decree by consent for £3,600 for damage to their Milltown Works, Falls road, on May 17. A decree for £2,700 was awarded by consent to Messrs. Gregg and Company, in respect of the burning of their premises in Exchange street.

BUSINESS MAN'S LECTURE TOUR.—Mr. W. H. Webb, well known in the linen industry and President of the Northern Associated Chamber of Commerce, has left for New York. He will lecture in Washington, Pittsburg, Detroit, St. Louis, and Toronto. He hopes to attend the Advertising Convention at Atlantic City as one of the delegates from the Ulster Advertising Club who are going out to support the invitation to the members to hold their 1924 convention in London.

WORK FOR BELFAST YARD.—The White Star Line announces that the Homeric will be converted into an oil-burning ship, and that in the autumn it will go to the Belfast yard of Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., to have the necessary work carried out. With the Alteration in the Homeric, the Southampton-New York mail service will be operated entirely by oil-burning vessels. The Homeric is a German-built liner of 34,692 tons gross.

EMIGRANTS FOR CANADA.—Six hundred and fifty passengers from Ulster sailed for Canada on Saturday. This is the largest number which has left in one day in recent years, the average hitherto having been between 300 and 400. Most of the emigrants are farm hands, who have gone to Ontario, where they are assured of work by the Government. Many domestic servants were included in the parties. Three hundred and fifty passengers sailed on the White Star-Dominion liner Regina, and the remainder on the Canadian Pacific liner Marvale.

ILLEGAL "LISTENING-IN."—Londonderry local authorities are instituting a rigid inspection of all "wireless" sets with the object of discovering and prosecuting the users of illegal equipment, who are almost nightly interrupting the broadcast music and Morse signals.

BELFAST LOUGH PLEASURE STEAMER.—The steamer Greyhound, which has been purchased by a Belfast company for pleasure trips on Belfast Lough and for the Belfast-Bangor summer service, has arrived at Belfast, and will be overhauled and redecorated. The regular sailings will commence in June.

"WIRELESS" ENTERPRISE.—A "wireless" concert has been heard in the Albert Hall, Carrickfergus, by arrangement with the Marconi Wireless Company. The audience enjoyed items broadcasted from Glasgow, Birmingham and London.

DERRY'S OLDEST CITIZEN DEAD.—The death has taken place of Mr. William Laird, Londonderry's oldest citizen. He was 86 years of age, and the oldest member of the Orange Institution in the city.

DUBLIN TRADE REPORT.

There was a tolerably good volume of business materialising from miscellaneous sources, but the situation surrounding trade and commerce leaves little new to particularise. Strikes and wages questions continue to leave matters in an unprogressive state in many branches of industry. In Irish trading confidence is gradually returning in most provincial connections, and travellers' order sheets are again commencing to fill more encouragingly for everyday commodities.

EXPORTS OF PORTER.

Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co.'s shipments of porter from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists for the past week, were:—

Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf.Brls.	Qr.Brls.
1,231	8,355	493	611	218

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Butts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf.Brls.	Qr.Brls.
1922...	1,979	11,403	324	225	27
1921...	1,722	10,180	431	271	30
1920...	2,054	13,184	436	504	75

The above week's exports are equal to 11,386 hhds. for 1923, as against 15,657 hhds. for 1922, 23,007 hhds. for 1921, and 17,765 hhds. for 1920.

The following quantities of porter were also shipped from Dublin by the various firms named, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists, for the week ending April 28th, 1923:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
Watkins, Jameson & Co. ...	—	28	93	210	29	165
Mountjoy Brewery Co. ...	—	2	1	2	3	5
D'Arcy & Son...	—	1	3	3	5	4
Total ...	—	31	97	215	37	174

Corresponding week's shipments for previous three years:—

	Bts.	Hhds.	Brls.	Hf. Brls.	Qr. Brls.	Total Hhds.
1922 ...	—	92	141	301	28	443
1921 ...	—	80	12	162	7	169
1920 ...	11	61	47	133	32	174

EXPORTS OF WHISKEY.

The quantities of whiskey exported from Dublin, as returned by the Customs daily shipping lists and bills of entry, and otherwise advised, for the week ending April 28th, 1923, were as follows:—

Note.—The week's shipments of whiskey by respective Distillers and others are officially returned in gallons, not in casks as heretofore, and total just 1,900 gallons.

Corresponding week's shipments for the previous three years:—

	Pns.	Butts.	Hhds.	Cks.	Qr.Cks.	Octs.	Kegs
1922	4	102	38	15	6	—	
1921	—	38	10	65	34	2	2
1920	3	55	55	11	9	1	3

Also shipped cross-Channel last week, about 750 gallons of whiskey, in bottles, jars, etc.

FOREIGN IMPORTS.

Direct foreign arrivals at the port of Dublin last week embraced:—From Amsterdam—172 chests tea, 150 cases currants. From Rotterdam—1,00 bags superphosphate, 150 bags sugar, 25 cs. Geneva, 1,137 cases margarine, 40 cs. maize starch, 140 reels paper. From Hamburg—Two heavy miscellaneous cargoes, 3,150 bags sugar, crates, earthenware, cs. pianos, gramophones, paper, rubber goods, electrical machinery, jute, motor and other accessories, condensed milk, dairy machinery, appurtenances, etc., cotton goods, toys, stationery, etc. etc. From Huelva—3,321 tons pyrites. From New York—1,100 bags rolled oats, 195 cs. lawn mowers, 600 bdles. plain wire, 1,000 bags flour, 200 bags pinhead oatmeal, 323 bags linseed cake. From Philadelphia—4,000 qrs. wheat, 130 brls. white crude wax, 1,750 bags oatmeal. From Portland, Oregon—3,140 tons soft white wheat. From Valencia—4,000 cs. oranges. From cross-Channel ports—14,409 tons of coal arrived per 48 colliers.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY.

Wind and Weather—Westerly wind; fresh breeze, with passing showers of rain.

Coastwise Arrivals—Snowdon, Slieve Gallion, from Holyhead, with goods; Bandon, from Liverpool, with goods; Tiger, from Glasgow, with goods; Olive, from Heysham, with goods; Gorsefield, Princetown, from Newport, with coals; Saint Fintan, Ashfield, Thelma, Alyn, Jessie Summerfield, Ophir, Nancie Thomas, from Garston, with coals; Saint Mungo, from Preston, with coals; Mourne, from Point of Aire, with coals; Mary Summerfield, from Ayr, with coals; Gertie, from Whitehaven, with coals; The Lady Belle, from Dungarvan, with empties; Carrowdore, from Liverpool, with empties; Monarch (cable steamer), from sea.

Foreign Departures—East Side, of New York (2,899 tons), for Cork, with part cargo (general); Tallo, of Rotterdam (347 tons), for Ghent via Ayr, light; Estland, of Copenhagen (724 tons), for Belfast, with part cargo (fruit and general).

Coastwise Departures—Slieve Donard, Snowdon, for Holyhead, with goods; Lady Killiney, for Liverpool, with goods; Tiger, for Glasgow, with goods; Olive, for Heysham, with goods; Lady Meath, for Manchester with goods; Clareisland, for Manchester, with porter; Empress (schooner), for Irvine, with scrap iron; Wythburn, for Whitehaven, light; Fodhla, for Ayr, light; Olive (of Newry), for Newport, light; Osceola, for Barrow, light; Lochranza Castle (motor schooner), for Chester, with scrap iron.

SUNDAY.

Wind and Weather—W.N.W. wind, light breeze; fine and clear.

Foreign Arrivals—Jeff Davis, of New Orleans (5,797 tons), from New Orleans via Glasgow, with a general cargo; discharging at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension. Dundee, of Dundee (562 tons), from Ghent via Waterford, with a general cargo; discharging at North Wall.

Coastwise Arrivals—Maple, from Glasgow, with goods; Brier, from Heysham, with goods; Lady Cloe, from London, with goods; Lady Kerry, from Liverpool, with goods; Yarrow, from Silloth, with goods; Dungeness, from Waterford, with goods; Cargan, from Dungarvan, with goods; Glencullen, from Partington, with coals; Silverfield, Samoa, Culmore, from Ayr, with coals; Priscilla, Mondara, from Garston, with coals; Dunleith, from Maryport, with coals; Deansgate, from Irvine, with coals; Diolinda (motor schooner), from Cork, with empty barrels; Esperanto, from Bullock, light Patricia, from Irvine, light.

Coastwise Departures—Glenageary, for Newcastle-on-Tyne, with iron ore; Isabel (ketch), for New Ross, with manure; Ashfield, St. Fintan, Jessie Summerfield, for Garston, light; Mary Summerfield, for Liverpool, light; Cornelian, for Maryport, light; Alyn, for Actongrange, light; Mourne, for Point of Aire, light; Princetown, Oak, for Newport, light; St. Mungo, for Birkenhead, light; Goresfield, for Piel (Barrow), light; Thelma, for Llandulas, light; Ophir, for Ormeshead, light; Cecil Brindley (schooner), for Plymouth, in ballast.

LEITRIM'S PLIGHT.

OUTSTANDING TOTAL: £70,000.

COLLECTORS RAIDED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

Mr. Sean O'Farrell, Local Government Department Inspector, opened an inquiry at Carrick-on-Shannon on Saturday into the affairs of the Leitrim County Council and its committees.

Mr. Joseph Delany, solicitor, who appeared for the Council, said that his clients felt aggrieved at the rather vague terms of reference regarding the inquiry. He should specifically give the heads he would go into, as the Council were most anxious to assist him.

The Inspector said that the inquiry was held under Sub-section 1 of Section 12 of the Local Government (Temporary Provisions) Act.

Mr. Charles Dolan, Secretary, said that the old Council refused to sign the rate books when quitting office, and the new Council issued the books with all the malicious claims eliminated. Of the rate struck for 1922 and the arrears from 1921 there were outstanding £46,000. No books had been issued for 1922-23, as it was not deemed advisable to do so. One collector got the 1922-23 books, and they were seized from him.

NET TOTAL.

Roughly, there was a sum of £23,000 for 1922-23 outstanding, which made the total £70,000. The Council threatened the collectors, and one, who had been suspended, refused to give up the books. The rates had been abnormally high owing to the stoppage of grants, but were now the lowest on record. The collectors were subjected to threats, and the ratepayers were opposed to the high rate, and opposition meetings were held. The rate collectors had been raided and their books taken.

In March last the Council's liabilities were £50,977 5s. 9d. There was a credit balance on the subsidiary account of £4,187 16s. 8d. The credit accrued on the stoppage of road work. The Council, roughly, owed £47,000, and £24,000 would pay their debts. If they got the outstanding rates they would be solvent. A sum of £20,444 12s. 11d. was due to the Northern Bank, and they were paying 4 per cent. interest on that.

In the general account there was a sum of £1,622 13s. 4d. owed to the Council, and there was £818 18s. 11d. on balance to credit on unexpended loans.

When the Council started with the Munster and Leinster Bank they got an overdraft of £12,000. Since then they had lodged £1,848, and there was a credit balance on the subsidiary account of £2,633 8s., which left about £12,995 10s. 7d. due to the Munster and Leinster Bank.

The tuberculosis dispensary at Carrick-on-Shannon had been wrecked by youngsters after it became derelict.

OPPOSITION.

Mr. Timothy Ward, Chairman of the Council, said that there was organised opposition to the payment of rates in North Leitrim and part of South Leitrim. At one meeting a county councillor was assaulted. As regards the amalgamation scheme, the people believed that there was some corruption, and that acted against the rate collectors. The public did not want the tuberculosis scheme, as it was foisted on them by an alien Government. The people considered that the Cavan and Leitrim Railway should be self-supporting, but they would agree to a maximum rate fixed by legislation.

As regards court officials, the Council held they were Government officials. The people were also against paying veterinary surgeons under the Diseases of Animals Act. The Council did not get any sympathy from the Local Government Department.

Mr. James M. O'Beirne said that the Department always treated the Council with the greatest discourtesy. Formerly they had a good hospital in Carrick, and now they had only a makeshift of one. He knew two maternity cases which had been turned away from the district hospital, and the mothers gave birth to the children on the side of the road. They had a cartload of grievances against the Department. The amalgamation scheme was the most colossal blunder ever imposed on anybody. They refused to pay court criers on the instructions of the original Dail Eireann. If it was wrong in 1920, it was also wrong in 1923.

Mr. Andrew Mooney said that he was in favour of the tuberculosis scheme being retained, as the rate to be paid was nominal. The Department were never unsympathetic to the Council. Any county councillor who had fault to find with the Department should resign.

The inquiry was adjourned till to-day.

TOBACCO PRICES.

We have received the following from the Secretary of the Commission on Prices:—

With reference to the increased prices charged in a number of establishments within the Dublin Metropolitan Area for cigarettes and tobacco, the Commission on Prices desire that the public should be made aware of the official returns just available showing, in respect of each of the first three months of the current year, the quantities of manufactured and unmanufactured tobacco imported into the Free State through Dublin and the other ports.

The Commission would point out that obviously none of the increased duty charges were payable on these quantities.

IMPORTS OF TOBACCO INTO THE IRISH FREE STATE.

Tobacco Manufactured.

Month.	Dublin.	Other Ports.	Total.
1923.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
January	3,687	2,007	5,694
February ...	3,715	2,365	6,080
March	8,160	3,640	11,800

Tobacco Unmanufactured.

Month.	Dublin.	Other Ports.	Total.
1923.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
January	1,684	429	2,113
February ...	744	84	828
March	2,770	730	3,300

UNIVERSITY INTELLIGENCE.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

JUNIOR SOPHISTER TERM EXAMINATION.

The following candidates have passed:—Batten, George Cuthbert; Beckett, Frank Edward; Brown, Alice Gaynor; Cant, Robert Douglas; Corbet, John Dermot; Crofton, Patrick George; Davies, Thomas; Davison, John Cecil; Eccles, Gerrard Mackin; Figgis, Robert; Gaffney, Niall Seumas; Gardner, Andrew Allen; Gibb, Mary Stewart; Gregan, Muircearta; Gregg, John Bainbridge; Harbinson, Alfred; Hughes, John; Jameson, William Sinton; Joynt, Helen Alexandra; Long, John Samuel; McCartan, Emily Aileen; McDowell, John Robinson; Macky, David John; Martin, Richard Louis; Meleady, John Joseph; Nightingale, Florence; Patterson, Francis; Peet, Edward Rayne; Price, Agnes Robina; Reid, Robert John; Rigby, Ernest; Smith, Eileen; Sparr, George Patrick; Stanley, Louisa Anne; Strettan, John Simpson; Stuart, Ian; Sutton, Charles David; Walsh, Eva Orrell; Watchorn, Clare; White, Violet Margaretta; Woodroofe, Emily Jane.

Sizar.—Buchanan, John Pillar.

FATAL RIFLE ACCIDENT.

Private Williams, of the Railway Corps of the National Army, lost his life, and a railway porter, John McDermott, was wounded by the accidental discharge of a rifle at Castletowngeoghan, near Mullingar. The bullet passed through the soldier's head and struck McDermott on the chest.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED HEAVY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, *Saturday*.

Stocks opened heavy. Unloading of stocks bought for long account and bear pressure occurred on the more definite indications of a pause in business activity being disclosed by the weekly trade reviews, which placed a bearish emphasis on the halt in the upward prices of commodities upon which much of the recent confident bullish operations have been based. The market closed heavy.

CLOSING PRICES.

Ex-Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Fri.	Closing Bid Prices Sat.	Business Done. H.	Business Done. L.
110½	Funded	102⅛	102⅛	—	—
111½	U.S. New 4% Loan	103⅛	103⅛	—	—
109¼	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	101½	101½	—	—
93½	Do. Preference	88½	88½	—	—
108¾	Do. 4% Con Bonds	100½	100½	—	—
58½	Baltimore and Ohio	51⅞	51⅝	—	—
163¼	Canadian Pacific	154½	154½	—	—
74½	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	69	69	—	—
24½	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	22¾	22⅝	—	—
86¾	Chicago and N.-West.	80⅞	80⅞	—	—
123	Do. Pref.	114	114	—	—
19¾	Erie 1st Preferred	17⅜	18	—	—
48½	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	45¾	45⅜	—	—
79½	Great Northern Pref.	73⅜	73⅜	—	—
121¾	Illinois Central	113	113	—	—
68	Lehigh Valley	63	63	—	—
153½	Louisville & Nashville	141⅞	141⅝	—	—
8¼	Mis'ri, Kan., & Texas	8⅛	8⅛	—	—
Nom.	Do. and Mt. 4% Gd. B.	Nom.	Nom.	—	—
16¼	Missouri Pacific New	15⅞	15⅞	—	—
8½	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	7⅞	8	—	—
4¼	Do. 2nd Pref.	3⅞	3⅞	—	—
100½	N.Y., Cn., & Hudson R.	93½	93½	—	—
118¼	Norfolk & West Com.	110	110	—	—
79¾	Northern Pacific Com.	74	74	—	—
19½	Ontario and Western	18⅞	18	—	—
49¼	Pennsylvania Shares	45⅞	45⅞	—	—
82¾	Reading Shares	76⅝	76⅝	—	—
53¼	Do. 1st Preferred	48⅞	49	—	—
91⅝	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	85⅞	85⅞	—	—
36¼	Southern Railway	33⅝	33⅛	—	—
97⅛	Southern Pacific	90⅞	90⅞	—	—
26¼	Texas and Pacific	25	24⅞	—	—
148¼	Union Pacific	137⅛	137⅛	—	—
77½	Do. Pref.	72	72	—	—
97¼	Do. 4% Bonds	89⅞	90	—	—
10¼	Wabash Common	9⅞	9⅞	—	—
32¼	Do. Preferred A	30⅞	30⅞	—	—
67⅛	Amer. Smelt. Refn. Com.	62⅞	61⅞	—	—
52	Anaconda Copper	48⅞	48⅞	—	—
23½	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	21⅞	21⅞	—	—
72¼	N.Y. Cons. Gas	57⅞	67⅞	—	—
191¼	General Electric	177⅞	177⅞	—	—
111½	U.S. Steel Common	103⅞	103⅞	—	—
129⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	119⅞	119⅞	—	—
110¼	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	101⅞	102⅞	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67⅛	67⅛	—	—
—	Do. (U.S. Mined) Ref.	99⅞	99⅞	—	—
9¾	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	9	9	—	—
37½	Do. Pref'd. Certs.	34⅞	34⅞	—	—
53¾	Royal Dutch Oil	49⅞	49⅞	—	—
40½	Shell Transport	38⅞	37⅞	—	—
291¼	Mexican Petroleum	280*	276*	—	—
77¼	Pan-American Pet.	71⅞	72	—	—
18⅛	General Motors	17⅞	17⅞	—	—
65⅞	U.S. Rubber	60⅞	60⅞	—	—

*Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex Bonus. § Ex rights.

	Friday.	Saturday.
Call Money	5½b. 5½a.	Nominal
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.61.25	4.61.25
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.63.25	4.63.25
Cable Transfers	4.63.50	4.63.50
Ex. on Paris	6.77½	6.77½
Berlin Cheques	0.33¼	0.33¼
Cotton, Mid., Upland	29.05	28.35
Do., New Orleans, Mid.	28.25	28.00
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	11.35	11.35
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., July	11.30	11.32
Petro., Refined, in cases	15.50	15.50
Do., Standard White	13.00	13.00
Do., Philad., Stan. do.	13.00	13.00
Do. Pennsyl. Crude	4.00	4.00
Spirits of Turpentine	138	138
Do., Savannah	Nominal	Nominal
Resin, Grade K	5.0	4.87½
Do., Grade F	5.0	4.87½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	12.17½	12.17½
Do. Midland West	11.75—11.85	11.75—11.85
Tallow, Extra	8⅛	8⅛
Sugar, New Cuban	8.41	8.16
Corn, West. No. 2 Mix.	96⅞	94⅞
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	142⅞	140⅞
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	Nominal	Nominal
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	137⅞	136
Coffee, Rio No. 7	11⅞	11⅞
Flour, Spring Clears	5.50—5.75	5.50—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	30.00—31.00	30.00—31.00
Tin, Straits	44.75	44.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.95	6.95
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	16¾—16⅞	16¾—16⅞
Do. do. Futures, July	16⅜—16⅞	16⅜—16⅞
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom per bushel	1/6—1/9	1/6—1/9
Freight Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	11—14	11—14
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	28	28
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	35	35

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, *Saturday*.

WHEAT—Spot market easy at 1¼c. to 1½c. fall. Exporters engaged 30 boatloads of wheat, 15 of corn, and 35 of rye. Receipts—Atlantic, 161,000; last year, 270,000. Clearances, 226,000; last year, 513,000.

FLOUR quiet.

LARD—Cash market quiet and unaltered.

CORN on spot easy, 1¼c. lower. Receipts—Atlantic, 84,000; last year, 268,000. Clearances, nil; last year, 650,000.

COFFEE opened steady, with May 50, July 44 and September 11 points up. May shorts were covering, and there was also buying by importers and trade interests, but the gains were lost later on liquidation and selling by commission houses and Wall street, the market closing steady, with May 9 points up and other months 4 to 9 points up. Spot quiet and unchanged. Approximate sales, 32,000 bags. May, 9.59; July, 9.39; Sept., 8.50; Dec., 8.20; March, 8.20.

RUBBER easier and ¼c. down. First latex crepe and smoked ribbed sheets, 31¼.

SUGAR easy. Futures easy, 24 to 27 points down. Centrifugal Cuban offered at 8.16. Porto Rico, 8.28. May, 6.26; July, 6.38; Sept., 6.43; Dec., 5.98.

COTTON opened steady, 5 to 36 points up, and further improved on too much rain in the Central Eastern belt, a better public demand, and foreign buying; then reacted under disappointing conditions in the cotton goods trade and spot situation, a favourable South-West weather forecast, Southern selling, and stop-loss orders. Bears were active, and despite some late covering the market closed easy at 72 to 48 points fall. Spot quiet at 70 points reduction. New Orleans spot 25 points lower. The current week's receipts at the ports are estimated to total 135,000 bales. Receipts—Atlantic, 3,000; Gulf, 2,000. Exports—Britain, nil; Continent, 2,000. April unquoted; May, 28.13; June, 27.50; July, 26.88; Aug., 25.60; Sept., 24.60; Oct., 24.30; Nov., 24.08; Dec., 23.85; Jan., 23.62; Feb., 23.58; March, 23.55.

COTTON OIL easy, 3 to 7 points lower.

PETROLEUM steady. TALLOW easy at ⅛c. decline. IRON steady. TIN steady.

ELECTROLYTIC COPPER steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat easy, 1¼c. down; No. 2 hard winter, 121¼.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat quiet; No. 2 red winter nominal.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat easy, 1½c. lower; No. 1 Northern spring, 128¾.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened easy at ⅛c. reduction, and declined further, closing easy, 1⅛c. to 1¼c. down; May, 120⅞; July, 123. Oats easy at ⅛c. decline; July, 51⅞.

CHICAGO, *Saturday*.

WHEAT opened easy, ⅛c. to ¼c. down, and went lower on bearish cables, better weather in the North-West, more favourable crop news, larger country offerings, lower cash markets, a poor outside demand, and liquidation of May contracts. The market closed easy, 1¼c. to 1c. lower. Spot easy. No. 2 hard winter spot, 125⅞; No. 3 hard winter spot, nominal; May, 133¾; July, 122; Sept., 119¾.

CORN opened easy, ⅛c. to ⅜c. lower, and suffered further losses in unison with wheat and also on favourable weather, outsiders holding off, small seaboard clearances, liquidation, and commission house selling. The market closed easy at 1¼c. to ⅜c. fall. Spot No. 2 mixed, 81¾; May, 79; July, 81; Sept., 81.

OATS easy, ⅛c. to ¼c. cheaper; May, 44¾; July, 45⅞; Sept., 44¾.

PROVISIONS opened quiet, and after an early rise on firmer hogs, expected light hog receipts West, a fair cash demand, and shorts covering, partially fell under realising and selling by grain people. The market closed steady, with lard unchanged and ribs 10 to 5 points up. Pork unquoted. Lard—May, 11.17½; July, 11.45; Sept., 11.70. Ribs—May, 9.65; July, 9.97½; Sept., 10.22½.

BACON steady and unchanged. Hog receipts at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st total 6,340,000, against 4,244,000 same season last year. The week's hog-pack totalled 144,000, against 139,000 last week, and 106,000 a year ago.

HOGS steady, with light 10 to 15 points and heavy 5 to 15 points up.

	Short Rib Sides. Drysalted.	Short Rib Sides. Loose.	Light.	HOGS.	Heavy.	
To-day......	9.12½	10.00	7.85	8.30	7.50	8.15
Prev. day.	9.12½	10.00	7.75	8.15	7.45	7.95

DEATH THROUGH STARVATION.

The death of an old-age pensioner, John Lucas, 82, who had been living alone, and who consistently refused to use food cooked by a woman, was investigated at an inquest on Saturday at Cold Ashton, near Bristol. A verdict of death accelerated by starvation was returned.

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ARMY ATHLETICS.

FIRST ALL-IRELAND CONVENTION.

The first All-Ireland Convention of the newly-formed Irish Free State Army Athletic Association was held at G.H.Q., Portobello Barracks, Dublin, yesterday.

Rev. Father O'Callaghan presided, and the delegates present were:—

Athlone Command.—Commandant Flood and Lieutenant Phelan.

Cork Command.—Rev. Father Cotter and Captain Keogh.

Dublin Command.—Rev. Father Pigott. 8th Battalion—Captain Kelly and Captain McGarry. 16th Battalion—Sergeant-Major O'Neill and Sergeant-Major Gilligan. 20th Battalion—Captain Lambert and Captain Coughlan. 33rd Battalion—Captain Barry and Corporal Magee. 37th Battalion—Battalion Sergeant-Major Murrell and Q.M.S. Harvey. 48th Battalion—Lieutenant Quigley and Captain Davis. 55th Battalion—Commandant Curley and Lieutenant Walsh. 45th Battalion—Captain Fulham and Captain Byrne.

Claremorris—Colonel A. Brennan.

Kerry.—Commandant Bishop and Captain Ryan.

Limerick.—Rev. Father McCarthy and Lieutenant Quinlan.

Waterford.—Captain Kelly.

Independent Services.—Major-General Quinn and Captain Chisholm.

Air Service.—Lieutenant-Commandant Broy and Lieutenant Nolan.

Works.—Rev. Father O'Callaghan and Captain O'Brien.

Curragh.—Captain Doyle.

Special Infantry.—Lieutenant Staines.

Executive Council.—Commandant H. G. Smith, Commandant Colgain, and Captain O'Brien.

Army Council.—Lieutenant-General Sean O Muirthuile.

The first business was the consideration of the scheme of organisation drawn up at a previous meeting.

RIFLE COMPETITIONS.

A resolution from the Athlone Command "that rifle and revolver competitions be included in the scheme of organisation" was unanimously adopted.

Another resolution from the Athlone Command which was adopted was "that players with military teams be allowed to play with local teams."

A further resolution from the Athlone Command "that travelling facilities be given to teams" was altered after discussion to read: "That a recommendation be made to the Executive of the Army Athletic Association to provide free travelling facilities for the different teams," and in its altered form unanimously adopted.

On behalf of the Athlone Command Commandant Flood introduced a resolution "that the National Sporting Club Rules govern boxing," mentioning that the purpose of the resolution was to have the matter discussed.

After some discussion the following substantive resolution was adopted:—"That the International Boxing Federation Rules govern our competitions."

It was stated that the Board of Works would provide playing grounds and gymnasia for the Army.

Upon a vote, a resolution of the Dublin Command, "that Army teams be allowed to compete in tournaments and championships other than those controlled by the Army Athletic Association," was unanimously rejected.

GOLF AND TENNIS.

A Dublin Command resolution, "that golf and tennis be discontinued as official Army games," was declared lost without a vote.

Considerable interest centred in a resolution from the Cork Command, "that the ban on any particular game be rescinded."

Rev. Father Cotter, C.F., in moving the resolution, said that they found in the Cork Command that by limiting the games to Gaelic games there was at least 35 p.c. of the soldiers not being catered for. Quite a lot of the men who had joined the Army were either Soccer or Rugby players. He had been a Gael all his life, but they had to face the facts.

Quarter-master Sergeant Harvey, 37th Battalion, Dublin Command, seconded the resolution.

An amendment was proposed by Rev. Father McCarthy, and seconded by Commandant Brennan, that the Constitution in this respect stand unamended.

After considerable discussion, the amendment was put to a vote, with the result that the proposal to rescind the ban was defeated by 14 votes to 7.

PRESENTATION OF CUPS.

Mr. Dan McCarthy, T.D., President of the G.A.A., who attended with Mr. L. J. O'Toole, Secretary of the G.A.A., having been given permission to address the meeting, said that he had been requested by the Central Council to present two cups to the Army Athletic Association, one for hurling and one for football. The proposal to present these cups had been carried unanimously at the Council meeting. The cups were of Irish manufacture (by Messrs. Johnson, of Grafton street). He thought the Army had come to a wise decision in deciding not to compete in championships and tournaments. It was proposed that the All-Ireland champions should meet the Army champions in both hurling and football each year.

The Rev. Chairman proposed a vote of thanks to the G.A.A. for the two magnificent cups, and this was seconded by Rev. Father Cotter, who said that, despite the fact that he had proposed a certain resolution a little while before, he could assure the G.A.A. delegates that they in Cork were the most loyal supporters the G.A.A. possessed.

The vote of thanks was passed by acclamation.

The members of the Army Council were elected patrons of the Association, and Lieutenant-General O Muirthuile, returned thanks on their behalf.

THE ELECTIONS.

The elections of officers resulted as follows:—

Chairman—Major-General Hogan.
Vice-Chairmen—Major-General Ennis and Rev. Father O'Callaghan.
Hon. Secretary—Commandant Colgain.
Hon. Treasurer—Colonel Cronin.

It was decided to leave the appointment of the two positions of "Assistant Secretary and Registrar" and Organiser to the new Executive, with the stipulation that both should be Irish speakers.

The following were elected on the Executive Council:—

Athlone Command—Rev. Father Fehily.
Dublin Command—Rev. Father Pigott.
Cork Command—Captain Keogh.
Limerick Command—Rev. Father McCarthy.
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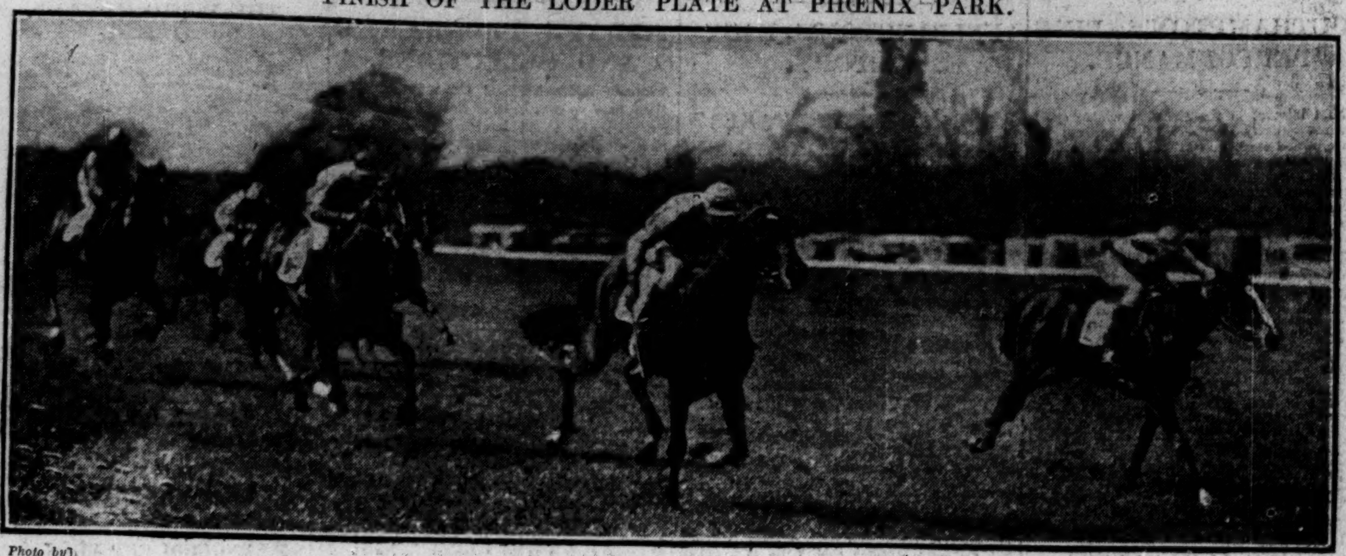
FINISH OF THE LODER PLATE AT PHŒNIX PARK.



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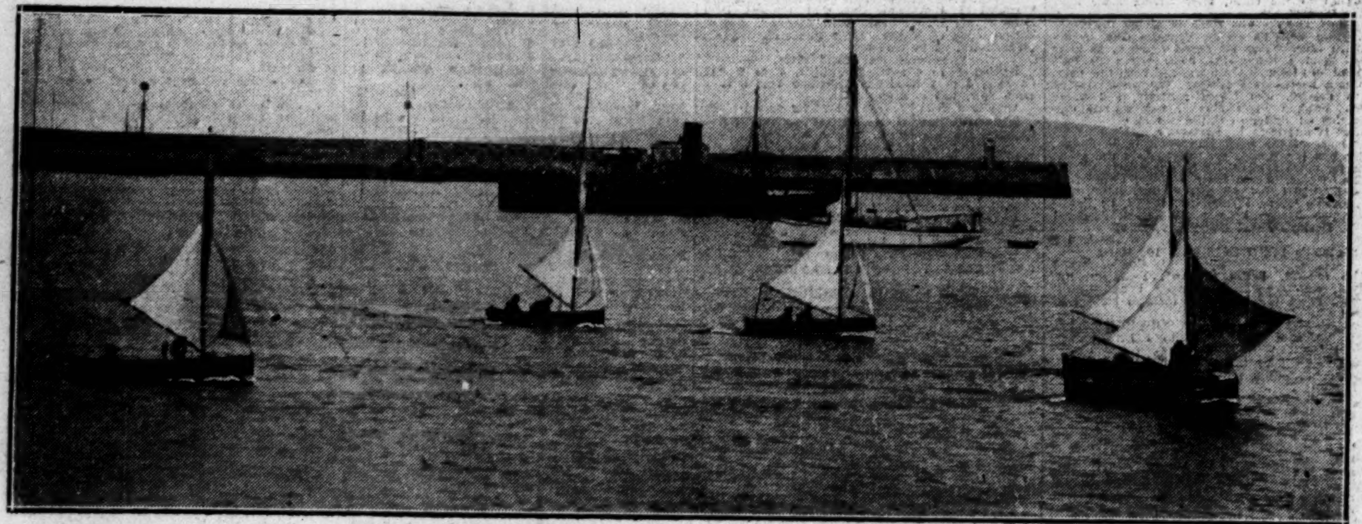
Golden Argosy Benedicta Glendun Princess Fari.

OPENING OF THE YACHTING SEASON.



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Start of the Water Wags race at Kingstown Harbour on Saturday. Bluebird (Dr. Meldon) and Coquette (Mr. Jones) leading, with the winner, Phyllis (Mr. G. A. Newsom), third, followed by Barbara and Pansy.

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Coquette (Mr. Jones), which was second, going about.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE SPORTS.

Photo by] [J. Kilpatrick.

Miss White, President of Alexandra College, distributing the prizes at Milltown, Co. Dublin, on Saturday.

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The sack race at the Alexandra College School Sports on Saturday.

PHŒNIX PARK RACES.

FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.

The lucky star that presides over the Phœnix Park Club was certainly in the ascendant last Saturday, when, after a most tempestuous morning, the rain cleared off to permit racegoers, even those residing at a distance, to make the journey to Ashtown in time for the first race at 3 p.m. Barring a few trifling dashes of rain, the afternoon remained fine, and visibility was particularly good, and this is always a satisfaction, especially when, as on Saturday, large fields prevail.

With last week's manifold attractions on the other side of the Channel, it was surprising to see such large and representative gatherings in the different enclosures, while the attendance in the club grounds bespoke the popularity of the Ashtown course, which, in addition to the best of sport, offers many attractions as a convenient and pleasant *rendezvous* for city and country friends.

Owing to the moisture of the sward the stands were much patronised, and there was less promenading on the lawn than usual. The early weather forecast was, doubtless, responsible for the somewhat sombre effect of the ladies' toilettes, the majority of which were of brown, dark blue, mole and a deep shade of beige. Furs, either in the form of coats or capes, and stoles of all types were universally worn, and the latest changes of fashion were chiefly indicated in the headgear, some very large hats being noted, as well as small toques, several of which displayed Egyptian influence in form and colour.

Among those seen in the club grounds and the paddock, which proved the most popular promenade, were Frances Marchioness Conyngham and Miss Cameron, the Countess of Fingall, Lord Killeen, Viscount Powerscourt and the Hon. Doreen Wingfield, Lady Eva Forbes, Lord HolmPatrick, Mr. and Lady Edina Ainsworth, Mr. and Lady Corbally, the Hon. Mrs. Dewhurst, Sir Walter and Lady Nugent, Sir John and Lady Arnott, Captain L. J. Arnott, Sir William Goulding, Captain and Mrs. Lingard Goulding, General Sir Bryan Mahon, Sir George and Miss Brooke, Captain and Mrs. F. Brooke, Mrs. Lindsay Fitzpatrick, Sir Thomas Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maher, Brigadier-General Waldron, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Smith Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Laidlaw, Colonel Edgeworth-Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McNeile, Miss McNeile, Colonel and Mrs. Clarke, Captain R. Wyndham-Quin, Colonel and Miss Hughes, Mrs. J. Fetherstonhaugh, Colonel Jameson Davis, Mr. Levins Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Hope-Johnstone, Mr. E. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barker, Mr. and Miss Jameson, Captain and Mrs. Shirley, Mr. Maxwell Arnott, Captain and Mrs. French, the Misses French, Colonel and Mrs. Croft, Dr. and Mrs. Bethel Solomons, Mr. H. Pack Beresford, Mr. and Mrs. Shackleton, the Misses West, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Jackson, Mrs. G. C. Greene, the Misses O'Connor, Colonel and Miss Graham, Dr. and Mrs. Browne, Captain Hume, the Misses Hume, Dr. and Mrs. A. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. H. Peard, Miss Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Nugent, Miss Trench, Dr. Maunsell, Mr., Mrs., and Miss Leonard, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Ryder, Dr., Mrs., and Miss O'Connor; Mr. Parkinson, Mr. T. Lewin, Mr. C. Wallis, Mrs. Norton, Dr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, Mr. Kilby, Mr. and Mrs. Cogan, the Misses O'Connor, Mr. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. McCann, Mr. and Miss Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Carr, Mr. Singleton.

WATCHING THE RACES.

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Snap of Lady Conyngham at Phœnix Park.

A PHŒNIX PARK WINNER.

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Glendun (Joseph Canty up) after the big race.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

ST. GEORGE'S Y.M.C.A.—The last meeting of the winter session will be held in the Parochial Hall this evening, at 8 o'clock. Lantern address will be delivered by the Rev. R. H. Whelan, South India.

OMNIBUS OVERTURNS.

CUP FINAL ENTHUSIASTS IN LONDON ACCIDENT.

An omnibus, which had been privately chartered to carry a party to Wembly Stadium for the Cup Final on Saturday, overturned in Harleyford road, Kennington, one side of the vehicle being completely smashed and twenty people being injured, of whom fifteen were taken to hospital, where two, George Vicary and Thomas Welsh, were detained.

The accident occurred when the driver of the omnibus tried to avoid a collision with a tramcar which suddenly pulled up in front of the omnibus. When the vehicle swerved it hit a water standard and then collided with a pillar box, after which it turned over.

INDIAN BANK FAILURE.

PROMPT MEASURE IN AID OF NATIVE DEPOSITORS.

The great British-owned banks operating in India are not affected by the closing down of the Alliance Bank of India, which was announced on Saturday.

While the suspension of the bank, with its £40,000,000 of deposits, may have serious consequences for native concerns it is hoped that measures taken by the Imperial Bank of India to meet the situation will have salutary effect. The Imperial Bank promptly undertook to pay out 50 per cent. to Alliance Bank depositors.

The London County Council reports that there were 24,624 ambulance calls last year, as compared with 21,740 in the previous year.

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AMUSEMENTS.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAMMES.

"Polly," Mr. Gay's play of over two hundred years ago, "modernised" by Mr. Clifford Bax, will be performed at the Gaiety Theatre. It is a romantic ballad-opera, with music by Mr. Frederick Austin. "Polly" is now being played at the Savoy Theatre, while a first-class touring company is visiting Dublin.

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At the Theatre Royal Arthur Prince, ventriloquist, is the chief entertainer. He and his mannequin, Jim, will relate a story entitled "The Love Affair of Yussif Hassin." The week's comedian will be Frank Benson, and Videau and Kirby will appear in an "artistic" act. Other performers are Lowdini, musician; Varney and Butt, Monica Daly, banjoist; and Tex McLeod.

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The Tivoli "turns" are to be provided by Dick Henderson, comedian; Amy Elson, comedienne; Randall and Gesta, singers and dancers; Bert Lytton, light comedian; the Two Elites, equilibrists; Pearl Beresford, mezzo-soprano; and Cullen and Carthy, comedians.

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"East Lynne" will be played at the Queen's Theatre in nine scenes. The part of Lady Isabel will be taken by May Craig.

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At the Olympia Theatre "The Twentieth Century Minstrels," a novel play, will be presented by a company including Frank Joal, Edwin Isles, Arthur Kenshaw, Gwen Stirling, Robbie Vincent, Edward Lacey, and Moore and Moore.

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Jackie Coogan, the boy actor, who, taken in hand by Charlie Chaplin, rose quickly to screen fame, will be seen in "Oliver Twist" at the Metropole Cinema.

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At La Scala Theatre the chief picture will be "Sowing the Wind," a version of the stage play by Stephen Grundy. Anita Stewart will take the chief part. Buster Keaton's comedy, "The Paleface," also will be shown.

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The Carlton Cinema management have secured "Fascination," a photo-play of Spain, with Mae Murray in the chief part. The cast includes Helen Ware, Creighton Hale, and Courtenay Foote.

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At the Princess Cinema, Rathmines, "The Perfect Lover," with Eugene O'Brien in the leading part, will be shown. In the second half of the week "The Night Rose" is the attraction.

ARRESTED IN DUBLIN.

LONDON SHOEMAKER CHARGED WITH POSTAL THEFT.

Thomas William Baden Powell, 22, described as a shoemaker, with an address at Barsein Park road, Shepherd's Bush, was remanded at the West London Police Court on Saturday on a charge of stealing £25 from a registered letter at Shepherd's Bush.

Prisoner was arrested in Dublin, and it was stated that when the charge was read over to him he said: "I know it looks black against me. That is why I came here to Dublin."

STOCKBROKER FOUND DEAD.

At Nottingham yesterday, Mr. James Stewart, aged 36, a partner in the local firm of stockbrokers, Messrs. Bromley, Cunliffe and Stewart, was found by a constable lying dead in the path of the garden of his residence in Newcastle Drive, The Park.

He had apparently fallen from his bedroom window, a height of about sixty feet. His parents live at Glasgow.

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PHŒNIX PARK.

CLOSE FINISHES.

GLENDUN WINS LODER PLATE.

SYMMETRIAN AGAIN TO THE FORE.

Considering that the fixture came so soon after the three days' meeting at the Curragh, the racing at the Phoenix Park on Saturday was surprisingly interesting. Runners were not forthcoming in such large numbers as is usually the case at this venue, but this in no way detracted from the sport. Some very exciting finishes were witnessed, and it was appropriate that one of the best should be seen in the chief race, the Loder Plate, which was won by Captain Dixon's Glendun, who on this the occasion of his first appearance on a racecourse made a very favourable impression.

Captain Dixon's colours have not been so prominent as usual of late, but earlier in last week his Glenshesk won the Irish Thousand Guineas at the Curragh. Saturday's winner, Glendun, is an own brother to Glenshesk, and it was a feather in the cap of the sire Junior that two of his progeny should win such valuable races in the space of a few days. Chief danger to Glendun came from Princess Fari, who at the previous Park Meeting won the Greer Plate. Then, as now, she battled out the finish very gamely, but could not sustain the effort against Glendun, whose win was accomplished in very smooth style.

The Kilbride Plate, which only attracted six runners to the post, proved an easy affair for Clonespoe, who earlier in the month at the Park had finished third to Templelyon and Stormont. There was a more exciting finish for the Liffey Bank Plate, and it was only in the last half furlong that Siki succeeded in shaking off the attentions of Lindean to win by three parts of a length. Submitted to auction subsequently, the winner was bought in for 130 sovs.

Tara Hill, who as a two-year-old last season showed smart form, made a reappearance in the Welter Plate, and was supported with much confidence. He ran well, and a furlong from the winning post shaped like a winner, but was unable to withstand the vigorous challenge of Bolshevist. The latter up to now had been regarded in the light of a very smart hurdle racer, but this performance showed him possessed of plenty of pace as well. The three-year-old, however, was conceding him 2lbs., and was by no means disgraced.

In the Weight-for-Age Plate Simon Ross easily reversed the Curragh placings with Toxaway. The latter was now at a 10lbs. disadvantage in the weights, and only finished third, beaten by both Simon Ross and Stormont. It was a fine finish between the latter pair, only a neck separating them at the post. Grand Lad was not saddled for the Ashtown Plate, so we were denied the privilege of seeing a renewal of the struggle between Symmetrian, Lilian's Pet and himself. These three filled the leading positions in the five furlong handicap at the previous meeting. The other pair again finished first and second, but instead of winning by a short head the margin in favour of Symmetrian now was a length and a half. Details:—

3.0—THE KILBRIDE PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. For three years old. 1 m.

Mr. N. J. Grene's ch. c. CLONESPOE, by Prince Hermes, dam by Sir Edgar—Lady Norah, 8-0 .... L. Moylan 1
Mr. E. M'Laughlin's ROUKEN GLEN, 7-12 (car. 7-13) .... A. Barrett 2
Mr. A. Lowry's BACHELOR'S WARD, 8-2 .... J. Patman 3
Mr. J. H. Nicholl's Irish Myth, 8-0 ....D. Ward 0
Mr. R. Power's Rakes of Mallow, 7-10 Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. T. P. O'Neill's Flying Prince, 7-11 D. Quirke 0
(Winner trained by R. Moss.)

Betting—2 to 1 on CLONESPOE, 7 to 1 each agst. Rouken Glen and Rakes of Mallow, 8 to 1 Flying Prince, 10 to 1 Bachelor's Ward, 20 to 1 Irish Myth.

Clonespoe, striking off the quickest, made the running from Irish Myth, Rakes of Mallow, and Rouken Glen. Half-way down the straight Irish Myth headed Clonespoe, but soon dropped back again, and the latter, easily coming Rouken Glen at bay, won by two lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Irish Myth was fourth and Rakes of Mallow next.

Time—1 min. 52 2-5 secs.

3.30—THE LIFFEY BANK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A selling race for two years old. The winner to be sold for 100 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. W. Rankin's b. c. SIKI, by Courageous—Memoria II., 8-9 .... D. McConnell 1
Colonel Croft's LINDEAN, 8-10 .... H. Beasley 2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's DESPERADO, 9-0 .... E. Quirke 3
Mrs. F. H. Brooke's Band Boy, 9-0 .... D. Ward 0
Lord Killeen's Round O, 8-10 .... T. Burns 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's Post and Rails, 9-0 .... M. Wing 0
Mr. O. Prendergast's Mr. Pat, 8-10 ..M. Doherty 0
Mrs. T. Coombe's Mabel's Fancy, 8-10 A. Douglas 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's La Chasse, 8-10 .... J. Dines 0
Mr. C. T. Vandeleur's Unconquered, 8-10 .... J. Patman 0
Mr. E. White's Wee Bee, 8-10 ......M. Barrett 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. SIKI, 5 to 2 Lindean, 6 to 1 Post and Rails, 8 to 1 Desperado, 100 to 8 any other.

Lindean made the running from Siki, Mabel's Fancy, Desperado, Wee Bee, Post and Rails, and Unconquered. After a couple of furlongs Siki headed Lindean, and, making the remainder of the running, won by three-parts of a length; a length divided second and third. Mabel's Fancy was fourth, Wee Bee fifth, Round O sixth, La Chasse seventh, and Unconquered next.

Time—65 secs.

The winner was bought in for 130 sovs.

4.0—THE LODER PLATE of 300 sovs., of which the second receives 25 sovs. For two years old. Weights—Colts, 8st. 10lb.; fillies and geldings, 8st. 6lb 5 f.

Captain Dixon's b. c. GLENDUN, by Junior—Fairy View, 8-10 .... Jos. Canty 1
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's PRINCESS FARI, 8-2 .... E. Quirke 2
Mr. D. J. Cogan's BENEDICTA, 8-6 (car. 8-7) .... T. Burns 3
Colonel Jameson Davis's Golden Argosy, 8-10 .... D. Ward 0
Mr. C. M'Laughlin's Paddy's Charm, 8-10 .... A. Barrett 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Officer, 8-10 ....E. Sparks 0
Mr. J. Radcliff's Zarope, 8-10 ....Jos. Doyle 0
Mrs. Coombs's Princess Royal, 8-6 ..J. Patman 0
Captain Shirley's French Fable, 8-6 ...J. Dines 0
(Winner trained by P. Behan.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. GLENDUN, 3 to 1 Princess Fari, 4 to 1 Benedicta, 8 to 1 Princess Royal, 20 to 1 any other.

Officer began slowly, and Glendun jumped off in front of Golden Argosy, Zorope, Princess Fari, and Benedicta. After half the journey had been covered Princess Fari headed Glendun, but the latter challenged again, and won a good race by half a length; a length and a half divided second and third. Golden Argosy was fourth, Paddy's Charm fifth, Zorone sixth, and Princess Royal next.

Time—62 3-5 secs.

4.30—THE WELTER PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. 1 m.

Mrs. Croft's b. g. BOLSHEVIST, by Barcadaile—Queen of the Hawthorns, a, 8-10 .... H. Beasley 1
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's TARA HILL, 3, 8-12 .... Jos. Canty 2
Mr. Coyle's BLACK HAMBURGH, 3, 8-12 .... M. Wing 3
Mr. E. Kennedy's Killala, 4, 8-10....E. Quirke 0
Mr. H. I. Ussher's Pallasgreen, 4, 8-10....Hines 0
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's Orpine, 3, 8-0....R. Cullen 0
Mr. J. Musker's Frank Colin, 3, 8-0...D. Quirke 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Dash o' White, 3, 8-0 .... J. Dines 0
(Winner trained by Mr. H. I. Ussher.)

Betting—6 to 4 on Tara Hill, 4 to 1 agst. BOLSHEVIST, 10 to 1 any other.

Black Hamburgh went away with a long lead of Tara Hill, Pallasgreen, Bolshevist, and Frank Colin. This was the order until two furlongs from home, when Bolshevist drew to the front, closely followed by Tara Hill, and won by half a length; five lengths divided second and third. Dash o' White was fourth, Killala fifth, and Frank Colin next.

Time—1 min. 47½ secs.

5.0—THE WEIGHT-FOR-AGE PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. 6 f.

Mr. Thos. Clarke's ch. c. SIMON ROSS, by Captain Ross—Simon's Lawn, 3, 8-2 .... Jameson 1
Major Dixon's STORMONT, 3, 8-12..Jos. Canty 2
Mrs. R. Croker's TOXAWAY, 3, 8-12..E. Quirke 3
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Green Linnet, 3, 8-2 (car.8-5) .... M. Wing 0
Mr. J. McKenna's Leartes, 3, 8-2....R. Cullen 0
Mr. J. H. Peard's Illuminated, 3, 8-7..H. Beasley 0
Mr. G. Personne's Paxi, 3, 8-2.......Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. H. J. Tully's Pearleen, 4, 8-9....T. Burns 0
Mr. C. T. Wallis's Royal Stuart, 3, 8-2 .... D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Illuminated, 3 to 1 Toxaway, 4 to 1 each SIMON ROSS and Stormont, 6 to 1 Royal Stuart, 20 to 1 any other.

Toxaway made play from Illuminated, Royal Stuart, Simon Ross, Green Linnett, and Stormont, for half the journey, when Stormont took command, but gave way inside the distance to Simon Ross, who won by a neck; three-parts of a length divided second and third. Pearleen was fourth, Paxi fifth, Royal Stuart sixth, Illuminated seventh, and Green Linnett next.

Time—63 secs.

5.30—THE ASHTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. An open handicap. 5 f.

Mr. W. O'Donohoe's b. f. SYMMETRIAN, by Symington—Graceful Girl, 5, 9-0..E. Quirke 1
Mr. G. Personne's LILIAN'S PET, 4, 8-7 .... Jas. Doyle 2
Mrs. F. H. Brooks' GAY DITTY, 3, 8-10 .... D. Ward 3
Mr. A. Lowry's Doubler, 4, 9-0......J. Patman 0
Mr. P. J. Munden's Ivydene, 4, 8-9..A. Barrett 0
Mr. J. S. Lowry's Dusk, 4, 8-4....M. Doherty 0
Mr. C. Prendergast's Gallant Captive, 5, 8-5 .... D. Quirke 0
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's Oola, 4, 7-13.....R. Cullen 0
Mr. J. H. H. Peard's Santa Decca, 4,8-4 .... H. Beasley 0
Mr. P. B. O'Toole's Princess Mildred, 4, 8-3 .... Jameson 0
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's Lady Regal, 3, 7-11 .... R. Fedigan 0
Mr. W. P. Power's Flying Lill, 4, 7-9 .... P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. T. Lawton's Bonnie Doon, 5, 7-8 .... D. McConnell 0
Mr. E. H. Woods's Royal Oak, 6, 7-13.....Kirk 0
Mr. P. Thorpe's Hector's Pride, 4, 7-7 .... W. Farrell 0
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Fair Ionian, 3,7-10....Dines 0
(Winner trained by F. Hayde.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. Lilian's Pet and Bonnie Doon, 5 to 1 Gay Ditty, 6 to 1 each SYMMETRIAN and Fair Ionian, 100 to 8 any other.

Santa Decca made the running from Doubler, Bonnie Doon, Symmetrian, Lilian's Pet, and Ivydene, for a couple of furlongs, when the last-named came on from Symmetrian and Lilian's Pet. Below the distance Symmetrian assumed command, and won by a length and a half; a neck divided second and third. Ivydene was fourth, Santa Decca fifth, Fair Ionian sixth, and Hector's Pride next.

Time—63½ secs.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE
DROGHEDA COTTAGE HOSPITAL
have been granted permission to hold a Flag Day at Mullacurry Race Meeting, and Mr. D. O'M. Leahy and Mr. R. D. Jameson have kindly promised to collect from Members of the Ring. We do not want much. —(Advt.)

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

READY FOR THE GUINEAS.

LEGALITY'S CHANCES FAVOURED.

SOUTHAMPTON'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Sunday Night.

Judging by the inquiries for him in the Ring at Sandown Park yesterday from people in a position to know, one of the best-fancied candidates for the Two Thousand Guineas at Newmarket on Wednesday is Lord Furness's grey colt, Legality. This son of Charles O'Malley and Kepler's Law, whom Mr. Dick Dawson trains, is very well indeed, and he has only to reproduce his two-year-old form to beat all the others.

That two-year-old form was exceptionally good, for although he was beaten a length by Town Guard in the New Stakes at Ascot, some excuse could be made for him in that he was slow off the mark. His subsequent victory over Pharos on the July course at Newmarket was a very fine performance, and, further, he finished there like a horse possessed of stamina. I believe that no doubt whatever is entertained about his capacity to stay the Rowley Mile on Wednesday next. Legality has many detractors, but they are mostly of the finnicky sort, who dislike his Arab-like head, which they say would sit better on a filly than on a colt with classic pretensions. A more serious objection, to my mind, is that he may not be possessed of the most equable of tempers.

TOWN GUARD'S GOOD GOING.

In contradistinction to his performance of the week before last, Town Guard has lately being going like an angel in his gallops, and giving complete satisfaction. They have not, however, been really strong gallops, such as Mr. Gilpin likes to give a horse before an important race, and it is doubtful whether Lord Woolavington's colt will be quite at his best in point of fitness on Wednesday. On Saturday he did a splendid nine furlongs. This must be said for him, that Mr. Gilpin kept him in good work throughout the winter, and therefore when his serious preparation started he had a bit in hand of some of the others. For the moment I am loth to discard this very good colt, in spite of the many adverse things that have been said about him in the last fortnight.

The Duke of Westminster's Twelve Pointer runs on Wednesday, but Mr. Persse tells me that it has not yet been decided whether Hurry Off will accompany him to the post. I believe that despite what Twelve Pointer may do on Wednesday, he is well expected to win the Derby. Not long ago he was considered at Chattis Hill to be the superior of Hurry Off, but the easy victory of the latter over Darragh at Newmarket brought him more prominently into the foreground. With two such colts to represent him, the Duke is in a fortunate position in regard to the classic races.

Lord Astor will run Bold and Bad in preference to Light Hand. The latter, who returned sore from Newmarket, was, by the way, given an easy canter at Manton on Saturday, and there is still some hope that he will be able to run in the Derby. Bold and Bad has been backed for the Guineas, and the reports about his excellence are strong.

Jack Jarvis thinks that he has more than an outside chance with Ellangowan. Lord Rosebery's colt came on at such a rate during the early weeks of this month that it was decided to run him in the Craven Stakes. His performance was, perhaps, even better than it seemed, for he was drawn on the stand side of the course, and had to race by himself all the way, a considerable disadvantage to a colt who was only making his second appearance on a racecourse. His progress has been considerable since that race. All the same, he hardly fills the eye as a classic winner, for he is of the small peacocky sort.

PAPYRUS WELL EXPECTED.

Of coure, the Guineas candidate who has figured most prominently in the public eye for many weeks is Papyrus, to describe the merits of whose gallops the Newmarket horse-watchers have exhausted their superlatives. There is no doubt that this colt is a sterling good one, and an honest one to boot; that he is exceptionally well, and that, with Donoghue up, Basil Jarvis expects him to win. All the same, I expect that he will find one just a little too good for him, for he has not the scope of a top-notch classic colt.

One feature of the decision of the Guineas will be that it will in all probability give us a clearly-defined favourite for the Derby. In the meantime Mr. J. B. Joel's My Lord is as good a favourite as anything. He is trained in a quiet part of Berkshire which is not much "touted," and he is not engaged in the Guineas, so he goes on in his serene way as one of the most prominent candidates, and one without any detractors, and, should all go well with him, he will probably continue so up to Epsom. There is no manner of doubt that this colt was coming on at a tremendous rate last back end, and that in his most able trainer, Charles Morton, thinks he has a really good one. What the stable think of him may be gathered from the fact that in order to make sure of his having competent jockeyship the first overtures to Frank O'Neill, who will ride him at Epsom, were made last December.

ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS ASPIRANTS.

As the One Thousand Guineas is not decided until Friday, there is no need to go deeply into it at the moment. It certainly appears as if it rests between four fillies—Cos, Suryakumari, Tranquil, and Solicitude. The former pair were amazingly speedy last season, but whether they will stay is another matter. On the other hand, both Tranquil and Solicitude in their races this season have shown plenty of stamina. Confident reports about Suryakumari are that she is a good deal better than Parth.

A BRILLIANT CHASER.

We turned yesterday from the straight path of racing under Jockey Club Rules to a day's jumping at Sandown Park. And a notable day it was too, for it emphasised the fact that in Southampton, whom Mr. Hubert Hartigan sold to Lord Woolavington, we have the most brilliant 'chaser over park courses in this country. A couple of failures over Liverpool dimmed the lustrous reputation of this horse, but by winning the Lancashire Steeplechase at Manchester in a canter he came back to his own. Now he has set the seal on that reputation by cantering away with the Grand International Steeplechase, over 3½ miles, with 12st. 7lb. in the saddle.

The opposition was strong, for it included Keep Cool, who was third to him at Manchester, and was meeting him on 5lb. better terms; Daydawn, a horse who has won under heavy weights on this course; Vico, Shaun Spadah, Forewarned, and Taffytus. He made practically all the running, and he won in the hollowest of canters without the semblance of an effort. He was pulling his jockey out of the saddle most of the way, and his impetuosity caused him to make mistakes at the water and two other fences, but he lost so little ground that it never looked like making the slightest difference to the result.

A remarkable sequel to the race was that Vico, whom Mr. W. Parrish bought in Ireland after he had been hunted for some time with the Meaths, and who had won several good 'chases for Mrs. Putnam since coming here, dropped dead while returning to the paddock.

MAJOR DOYLE'S MISHAP.

I am sorry to say, too, that by the fall of Daydawn that very popular and accomplished Dublin horseman, Major E. C. Doyle, broke his arm. It looked a bad fall, and he was laid out for some time, but examination showed that he had sustained nothing worse than the broken limb.

Just previously he had won the Selling Hurdle Race for Mrs. Campbell Russell on Duncher, whom he trains at Heddington, and he was to have ridden Sans Peche in the Great Sandown Hurdle. The mount was given to T. Leader, jun., and he won on the filly, who made all the running. She blundered and swerved at the last obstacle, but still was able to come again and shake off the Irish hurdler Hymir, to win by a neck. Pacifist, a noted performer in Ireland and a winner at Baldoyle, took the Criterion Amateur Riders' Steeplechase, well ridden by his owner, Captain Pigot Moodie, of the Scots Greys, to whom Mr. Moore sold him some time ago. Mr. T. B. Bennett ran Hawker here, but he found his 12st. 10lb. too much over 2½ miles, and finished second, eight lengths behind the winner. Gracious Gift, who was favourite here, performed very moderately.

GALTEE MORE.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Chronicle:—To-day's double—Fair View and Herne the Hunter.

Daily Graphic:—Double—Deerslayer and Doctor Quill.

SANDOWN PARK

SOUTHAMPTON'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

That interest in the so-called winter sport has not entirely evaporated was proved by the crowded enclosures at Esher on Saturday. In face of the great football final at Wembley, it would not have been surprising had the attendance been a scanty one, but it has been repeatedly proved that the followers of the two sports have no common interests.

At this late period of the season it would be reasonable to expect that the selling steeplechase form would be thoroughly sifted, yet for the Pavilion Handicap Steeplechase three horses wound up equal favourites, and one only finished amongst the first three. This was the winner, Southern Lass, who owed her success as much as anything to the capital judgment with which she was ridden by Captain Bennett.

Another amateur to show to advantage was Major Doyle, on Duncher, who, in the St. James's Hurdle was scoring his third success in his last four attempts. Supplementing his Lancashire Steeplechase victory by crediting Lord Woolavington with the International Steeplechase, Southampton put up one of the best performances of the season, for, though carrying top weight, he scored without an effort, after having always been in the leading position. As a matter of fact, he was pulling Robson out of the saddle most of the way, and his easy journey made it appear as though he was jumping slovenly, yet he made no semblance of a mistake. Daydawn, who had been expected, fell, and Vico, after returning to the paddock, dropped down dead. Keep Cool, as at Manchester, finished third, though meeting Southampton on much more favourable terms.

The connections of Boddam had the utmost confidence in him for the Sandown Hurdle Handicap, and he may have been a trifle unlucky, for when Simon's Light fell he undoubtedly threw Wootton's mount out of his stride. At the same time, Boddam finished like a horse that was becoming tired of jumping. Sans Peche had little in hand of Hymir at the finish, after having made most of the running.

A great mistake was made in giving preference to Captain Bennet's mount, Gracious Gift, in the Criterion Steeplechase for amateur riders, as after going about half-way the horse began to trail his hind legs through the fence, and from this point he was a hopeless proposition. The winner turned up in Pacifist, who fenced perfectly, and whose owner, Captain Pigot Moodie, was warmly congratulated on riding so skilful a race.

After two failures F. Hartigan's stable provided the winner of the concluding event in Devonport. Duller had the mount, and his backers never had cause for much anxiety, for he was always holding a nice position, and in the end scored cleverly.

2.0—PAVILION 'CHASE H'CAP, £200. 2 m.

Mr. Dixon's br. m. SOUTHERN LASS, by Precentor—Bowery Belle, 8, 10-6 Capt. Bennet 1
Mr. T. Hooley's JACK BOORE, 7, 11-4 .... W. Madden 2
Mr. Bennett's LORD CALLART, 10, 10-10 .... Hogan, jun. 3

Also ran—St. Endas (Turner), Providence (A. Stubbs), Governor Wood (Fitton); Prince Clifton (Hehir), Pavot (J. Anthony). (Winner trained by Lines.)

Betting—100 to 30 each agst. SOUTHERN LASS, Providence, and St. Endas, 7 to 1 Lord Callart, 10 to 1 bar four.

Won by eight lengths; three lengths.

2.30—ST. JAMES'S HURDLE RACE (S.), £200. 2 m.

Mrs. M. S. Russell's ch. g. DUNCHER, by Kosmos Bey—Whitebait, 7, 11-7 Maj. Doyle 1
Mrs. J. Hutton's PERICO, 6, 11-7 .....F. Rees 2
Mr. J. Ioannou's PICCOLISKO, 6, 11-7 ...D. Dick 3

Also ran—Sea Voyage (J. Hogan, jun.), Pride of Manister (Speck), Bac-More (G. Duller), Manister Belle (F. Morgan), Wrangle (Capt. Bennett), Firedrake (T. Leader). (Winner trained by Doyle.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Sea Voyage, 4 to 1 each Perico and Bac-More, 11 to 2 Firedrake, 8 to 1 each DUNCHER and Piccolisko, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; half a length.

The winner was bought in for 280 gns.

3.0—GRAND INTERNATIONAL 'CHASE H'CAP, £500. 3½ m.

Lord Woolavington's br. g. SOUTHAMPTON, by Southannan—Pink Lady, a, 12-7 ..A. Robson 1
Mr. Smith's TEMPLEBAR, a, 9-13 .... Capt. Bennet 2
Mr. Midwood's KEEP COOL, a, 11-1 ..A. Escott 3
Mr. McAlpine's Shaun Spadah, a, 11-13 .... A. Stubbs 0
Mrs. J. Putnam's Vico, a, 11-11 .....F. B. Rees 0
Mr. 'Bankier's Forewarned, a, 11-10 .... J. R. Anthony 0
Sir H. Meux's White Surrey, a, 11-10 .... F. Morgan 0
Baron F. de Tuyll's Daydawn, a, 11-5 .... Major Doyle 0
Major D. Dixon's Halston, a, 11-4 .....Trudgill 0
Mr. J. Bulteel's Taffytus, a, 10-5 .....T. Leader 0
Mr. J. Hogan's The Colner, a, 10-1 Hogan, jun. 0
(Winner trained by Gore.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. SOUTHAMPTON, 5 to 1 Keep Cool, 6 to 1 Daydawn, 7 to 1 Vico, 10 to 1 Forewarned and Taffytus, 100 to 8 bar six.

Templebar led from Vico, Southampton, White Surrey, and Halston. At a mile Southampton was lying close second, followed by White Surrey, Templebar, Vico, and Taffytus. Forewarned made a bad mistake at the water the second time round, and Southampton led from White Surrey, Shaun Spadah, Daydawn, and Vico. A mile from home Southampton still led. Three fences from home Daydawn fell, and White Surrey pulled out. In the straight the favourite drew out and won easily by eight lengths; five lengths separated second and third. Shaun Spadah was fourth, and Taffytus last. Halston fell after going about a mile. Time—7 mins. 47 4-5 secs.

3.30—GREAT SANDOWN HURDLE H'CAP, £400, 2 m.

Mr. A. Saunders' ch. m. SANS PECHE, by Balscadden—Sans Tache, a, 11-4 .....T. Leader 1
Mr. K. Milnes' HYMIR, 6, 12-0 J. Hogan, jun. 2
Mr. A. Tennent's BODDAM, 4, 11-4 ...F. Leader 3
Mr. P. F. Heybourn's Morganatic Marriage, 6, 12-7 .... G. Duller 0
Sir S. Watts' Flaming Sword, 5, 12-1 .....Escott 0
Mr. M. Weil's Tomahawk, 5, 11-11 ...J. Anthony 0
Mr. J. Hutton's Dorado, a, 11-13 ...F. B. Rees 0
Mrs. Putnam's King Pippin, 4, 11-11 .....Stubbs 0
Lord Lonsdale's Royal Highness, 5, 11-10 .... Capt. Bennet 0
Mr. J. T. Coltman's Zarane, a, 11-10 ..Butchers 0
Mrs. Jones' Simon's Light, 4, 11-10 .....A. Escott 0
Mr. Blenkinson's Le Cellier, 4, 11-4 .....D. Dick 0
(Winner trained by Clement.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Boddam, 5 to 1 Morganatic Marriage, 11 to 2 Flaming Sword, 6 to 1 SANS PECHE, 8 to 1 each Hymir and Tomahawk, 10 to 1 each Royal Highness and Zarane, 100 to 7 any other.

Sans Peche led from Simon's Light, Royal Highness, Morganatic Marriage, and Boddam. Half-way Sans Peche was still in front of Royal Highness, Simon's Light, Morganatic Marriage, and Boddam. Two hurdles from home Simon's Light drew to the front, but fell, giving way to Sans Peche, who won in good style by a neck; one length and a half separated second and third. Morganatic Marriage was fourth, and Le Cellier last.

4.0—CRITERION (AMATEURS) HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE, £200. 2½ m.

Capt. G. Moodie's b. h. PACIFIST, by Arizona—Paciencia, a, 12-3 .... Owner 1
Mr. T. Bennett's HAWKER, a, 12-10 .... Mr. Pulford 2
Mrs. G. N. Bennett's GEM, a, 11-2 .... Mr. Chapman 3

Also ran:—Gracious Gifts (Capt. Bennett), Regent Park (Mr. Blair), Test Match (Major Fitz-Henry), House II. (Mr. Dixon), The Saint IV. (Mr. [illegible]), Marcoglass (Capt. Scott), Kincraig (M. [illegible]), Morning Star (Mr. H. Brown). (Winner trained by [illegible] Rogers.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Gracious Gift, 3 to 1 Morning Star, 7 to 2 Hawker, 8 to 1 PACIFIST, [illegible] Test Match, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by ten lengths; a head.

4.30—KINGSTON HURDLE HANDICAP, £200. 2 m. 5 f.

Mr. Pete's br. h. DEVONPORT, by Tredennis—[illegible], a, 10-7 .... G. Duller 1
Mr. [illegible]'s LADY CHARITY, 6, 10-12..Speck 2
Capt. [illegible] Barnett's POISE, a, 10-13 F. Rhodes 3

Also ran:—Sprig (T. Leader), Killesher (A. Harrowgay), St. George (F. Rees), Ranter (L. [illegible]), Flurry (W. Escott). (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. DEVONPORT, 11 to 2 St. George, 6 to 1 each Sprig and Ranter, 7 to 1 Poise, 10 to 1 Flurry, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by two lengths; three lengths.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

[illegible] Detrimental, Clear Evidence, Yonder, and [illegible] were struck out of the One Thousand Guineas at 9 a.m. on Saturday.

On returning to the paddock after taking part in the Grand International Steeplechase at Sandown Park on Saturday, Vico fell and expired.

Flying Lance, Free from Pride, and Trotcosey were struck out of the Two Thousand Guineas at 9 a.m. on Saturday, and Greenaway Boy at 10 p.m. on Friday.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Tuesday—Sligo.
Wednesday and Thursday—Limerick.
Friday—Louth Hunt.
Saturday—Baldoyle.

ENGLAND.

Monday—Folkestone.
Monday—Southwell.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday—Newmarket.
Wednesday and Thursday—Isle of Wight.
Thursday and Friday—Worcester.
Friday and Saturday—Ripon.
Saturday—Hurst Park.
Saturday—Plymouth.

NEWMARKET TRIALS.

The following trials took place on Saturday morning at Newmarket:—

DAWSON'S Silver Grass (Stokes), 1; Whipping Boy, 2; Bright News (Miss Tanner), 3; Romagna, 0. Distance—One mile. Won easily; a bad third.

WATSON'S Capitol (Leggett), 1; Chip (Robertson), 2; Peccadillo (Hulse), 3; Truthful James (Rawlinson), 0; Tripper (Childs), 0. Distance—Five furlongs. Won easily; a head between second and third.

MULLINGAR RACE MEETING

MONDAY, the 4th JUNE, 1923.

CLOSING.—All Races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY, 9th May, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin (Telegraphic Address—"Turf Club, Dublin.")

THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 400 sovs., of which the second horse will receive 60 sovs. and the third 30 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Entrance 4 sovs. Horses not struck out May 23rd, 4 sovs. in addition. Distance—Two miles. If less than 30 entries, no race except at stewards' option.

THE RAILWAY PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A handicap flat race. Entrance 2 sovs. Distance—Seven furlongs and 150 yards.

THE CLONHUGH PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A weight-for-age flat race. Entrance 30/-. Distance—About 1 mile 3 furlongs 150 yards.

THE NEWBROOK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A welter flat race. Entrance 2 sovs. Distance—Two miles.

THE BELVEDERE PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A hurdle race. Entrance 30/-. Distance—Two miles.

THE WESTMEATH PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. An open steeplechase. Entrance 30/-. Distance—Three miles.

For full particulars see *Racing Calendar*.

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STOCKTON.

FELKINGTON'S EASY VICTORY.

MONK OF BLYTH TAKES CRATHORNE PLATE.

The attendance for the second day at Stockton was of much bigger dimensions than on Friday, but the weather was showery. Backers started well by standing Rustler for the Bishopton Selling Plate, but it was only after a great effort that the younger Leach got the favourite home by a short head, Hill Country and Maxi running a dead-heat for second place. The winner was sold to Mr. P. Smith for 135 guineas.

King Willow put in an appearance for the Wolviston Welter. The Epsom form was taken as a guide, and Thwaites made no mistake, winning in a canter from Indulgence.

In the North Yorkshire Handicap the Middleham stable, presided over by Peacock, supplemented its victory of Friday with Forerunner by winning easily with Felkington by three lengths from the favourite, Jazz Band. Cortona was a tall order, but lost his place at the bend into the straight.

The Carlton Selling Plate fell to the Night Belle filly to register a double for Lines' stable at Newmarket. The Fairfield Plate fell to Orland, who started favourite.

The meeting concluded with a runaway victory for Monk of Blyth, who when it came to racing left the others standing still to win in a canter, and register a double for Peacock's stable.

1.45—BISHOPSTOWN PLATE (S.), £150. 1 m.

Mr. H. Lines's b. g. RUSTLER, by Call o' the Wild—Lady Lonely, 3, 7-5 .....H. Leach 1
Mr. Layton's HILL COUNTRY, 3, 9-3..J. Leach *
Mr. S. J. Goddard's MAXI, 4, 8-11.......Jelliss *

Also ran—Valentine Vox (G. Walsh), Master Shepherd (J. Hamilton), Mayfly (J. Clancy), Daylight Saving (J. Ledson), Doon Star (P. Jones), Tommy Long (J. Taylor), Little Buffet (D. Taylor). (Winner trained by Owner.)

*Dead-heat for second place.

Betting—9 to 4 agst. RUSTLER, 7 to 2 Hill Country, 6 to 1 Maxi and Valentine Vox, 8 to 1 Doon Star, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by a short head; dead-heat for second place.

2.15—WOLVISTON HANDICAP, £200. 6 f.

Captain Wilson's ch. c. KING WILLOW, by King's Prize—Willowmore, 4, 9-2 J. Thwaites 1
Lord Durham's INDULGENCE, 4, 10-0..Whalley 2
Mr. C. Kenyon's LEMSTAR, 5, 9-7..C. Barker 3

Also ran:—Desmond House (Taylor), Smoke Screen (Jelliss), Benedick (P. Jones). (Winner trained by J. Renwick.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. KING WILLOW, 7 to 2 Indulgence, 4 to 1 Smoke Screen, 8 to 1 Desmond House, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by four lengths; a head.

2.45—NORTH YORKSHIRE HANDICAP, £400, 1 m.

Mr. J. Watt's b. m. FELKINGTON, by Lemberg—Comparison, 5, 7-12.......J. Ledson 1
Mr. A. Scott's JAZZ BAND, 4, 7-12..H. Wragg 2
Lady Cunliffe-Owen's CORTONA, 4, 8-2.....Gray 3
Lord Durham's Teresskin, 5, 8-7.......Whalley 0
Mr. Brooks' Johnny Roebuck, 5, 7-11.....Walker 0
Mr. Kenyon's Bold Knight, 4, 7-5.....C. Parker 0
Mr. Clover's Vain Simon, 5, 7-5.......D. Gordon 0
Mr. R. Hall's Sun Cure, 4, 6-12.......T. Weston 0
Mr. A. Scott's Be a Lad, 4, 6-12.......Batsford 0
Mr. Bolton's Village Lad, 4, 6-10.......R. Briggs 0
(Winner trained by Peacock.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. FELKINGTON and Jazz Band, 9 to 2 Teresskin, 5 to 1 Cortona, 6 to 1 Johnny Roebuck, 100 to 8 any other.

Jazz Band and Teresskin broke the tapes, and Vain Simon got badly away. Cortona was first away from Jazz Band, Felkington, Bold Knight, Sun Cure, and Teresskin. Entering the straight, Jazz Band took up the running, followed by Felkington, who went to the front below the distance, and won by three lengths; a head separated second and third. Bold Knight was fourth, Johnny Roebuck fifth, and Be a Lad last.

3.15—CARLTON T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE, £150. winner to be sold for £100. 5 f.

Mr. W. H. Dixon's NIGHT BELL F., by Bridge of Barn, 8-5 ....E. Wheatley 1
Mr. J. Hoyle's GOLDEN SANDS, 8-5..D. Taylor 2
Capt. Rogerson's PEELWHEEL, 8-5....Whalley 3

Also ran—Minley f. (Spear), Packet (Thwaites), Lolo (T. Weston). (Winner trained by Lines.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. Packet, 2 to 1 NIGHT BELL, 5 to 1 Golden Sands, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; three lengths.

3.45—FAIRFIELD T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. 5 f.

Mr. H. C. Dickson's b. g. ORLAND, by Orpiment—Elfand, 9-0 ....J. Brooks 1
Mr. A. Sadler, jun.'s JAMNAGAR (late Carina), 8-12 ....R. Jones 2
Mr. H. R. King's WYRE FOREST, 8-12 J. Leach 3

Also ran—Phantom Harry (Halliate), Dunsmoor (Wragg), Runamine f. (Ledson), Lotus Land (C. Parker), Marketable f. (Stanton), Just One (Thwaites). (Winner trained by Rintoul.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. ORLAND, 11 to 4 Jamnagar, 5 to 1 Wyre Forest, 8 to 1 Just One, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by six lengths; one length.

4.15—CRATHORNE PLATE, £250. 1½ m.

Lord Barnby's br. c. MONK OF BLYTH, by Morena—Proud Polly, 3, 8-3 ...J. Ledson 1
Mr. Smith's HIGHCLIFFE, 4, 9-0 ...J. Taylor 2
Mr. C. Kenyon's GEISHA GIRL, 4, 9-7 Thwaites 3

Also ran—Phalanx (Wragg), Gerion (Clancy), Gianforte (Spear), Synorix (R. Jones). (Winner trained by Peacock.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. MONK OF BLYTH, 7 to 4 Synorix, 5 to 1 Gianforte, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by six lengths; three lengths.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.

Two Thousand Guineas—Flying Lance, Free from Pride, and Trotcosey, at 9 a.m. on Saturday; Greenaway Boy at 10 p.m. on Friday.
One Thousand Guineas—Indolence, Detrimental, Clear Evidence, Yonder, and Rhona, at 9 a.m. on Saturday.
Bretby Handicap—Procis, Harriboy, Soval.
Maiden T.Y.O. Stakes (Div. 2).—Inverveigh, Santa Clara colt, Petronella.
Maiden T.Y.O. Plate (Div. 1).—Motherworth.
Wilbraham Stakes (Div. 1).—Hellespont.
Hastings Plate—Emulsion, Trotcosey, Hatchford, Cafe Royal, Greenaway Boy.
Littleport Stakes—Elsie Maynard, Swordplay.
Bottesdale Three-Year-Old Handicap—Noir.
First Spring T.Y.O. Stakes—Comedy Star.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lingfield Club Welter, Lingfield—Royal Bucks.
Isle of Wight engagements, May 2 and 3—The Nile.
Rainton Plate, Ripon—Terceira filly.
Claro Plate, Ripon—Lady's Mantle gelding.
Grewelthorpe Plate and Fountains Selling Plate, Ripon—Genoa.
Roodeye Maiden Handicap, Chester—Llanymynech.
All engagements—Brokerick (dead).
All engagements in Mr. A. Lowry's name—William.
All engagements in Mr. Stanley's name—London Pride.
Two Thousand Guineas' Trial Selling Plate, Newmarket—Mercero.

RUGBY.

GOULDING CUP FINAL.

G.S. AND W.R. (3) v. I.R.C.H. AND D.S.E.R. (0).

The final of this competition was decided on Saturday at Park Avenue, Great Southern defeating the holders by a try to nil. Teams:—

G.S. and W.R.—J. Nuzum; W. Hennessy, H. King, W. Dawson, O. Wilson; W. Bergin, E. Flanagan; R. Thompson, R. Johnston, R. Molloy, T. Somers, E. Reddy, T. Maguire, R. O'Connor, P. Harrington.

I.R.C.H. and D.S.E.R.—W. O'Connor; M. Browne, G. Dagge, H. Sully, W. McClelland; H. Watchorne, P. Winters; A. J. Cullen, F. Lynch, E. Coghlan, T. Browner, E. Shortt, K. Downey, W. Cunningham, J. Kirwan.

Referee—W. H. Acton.

There was the usual enthusiastic attendance at Park Avenue on Saturday, and Great Southern proved deserving winners by a try to nil. There were several showers of rain and hail before the start, but the match was played under good conditions. Great Southern had much the better of the first half, being in their opponents' 25 most of the time. Early on Flanagan had a couple of shots at goal off penalties, but failed. The Great Southern backs were also dangerous on occasions; but the Clearing House defence proved sound, and there was no score at half-time.

Play in the second half was more even, each side attacking in turn. Great Southern were pressing when Flanagan punted high, and O'Connor missed fielding. Hennessy, following up fast, dribbled over the line to score, but King failed to improve. After this the Clearing House forwards brought play to the other end, and twice Great Southern were forced to touch down to save. Great Southern then had a spell of attack, and were unlucky not to score in a forward rush. Dagge relieved, and when time was up Clearing House were in their opponents' 25.

Flanagan, Bergin, Hennessy, and King (backs), and Thompson, Johnston, Somers, and Molloy played well for Great Southern; while the best of the losers were Sully, Dagge, McClelland, and Winters (backs), and Lynch, Cullen, Browner, and Coghlan (forwards).

MUNSTER CUP FINAL.

CORK CONSTITUTION (8) v. GARRYOWEN (0).

Constitution met Garryowen at University grounds, Cork, on Saturday afternoon, in the final of the Munster Senior Cup. Constitution, the holders of the Cup, won on the score of 8 points to nil. The weather was unsettled, and during the second period of the game very heavy rain fell, rendering the pitch, which had previously been in fair condition, very sodden and heavy. A very large crowd witnessed the game, and they were treated to a fine exhibition. Fast and closely contested play was the feature from start to finish. Garryowen did very well in the first half, and were unfortunate in not scoring at least once. For a considerable time they attacked strongly, but the defence was unusually good, and they failed to get through. Just before half-time Constitution secured a try, which was converted. The second half went entirely in favour of the home team, who added three more points, and the match ended as stated. Result:—

Constitution—1 goal 1 try (8 points).
Garryowen—Nil.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

MUNSTER CUP FINAL

	Points.		Points.
Cork Constitution	8	Garryowen	0

CROSS-CHANNEL MATCHES.

RUGBY UNION.

	Points.		Points.
Pontypool	12	Cardiff	7
Llanelly	8	Bridgend	6
Newport	7	Leicester	6
Neath	6	Swansea	3
Cross Keys	23	Bridgwater	0

NORTHERN UNION CUP.

Leeds	28	Hull	3

NORTHERN UNION GAMES.

Barrow	13	Rochdale	8
Salford	16	Featherstone Rovers	8

ITALIAN RACING.

ROME, Sunday.

The Omnium Prix, for 100,000 lire, which was run to-day in the Parioli Hippodrome, was won by Fiorello, who was trained at the Cisalpine stable. There were four starters.

FOLKESTONE.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

Racing under National Hunt Rules takes place here o-day. It is not an important function, and might have been cut out, in view of Newmarket. Still, the affair will provide entertainment for south coast sportsmen, who can reach the course easily. The latter remark also applies to horses. The weather promises to be fair and the going excellent. Selections:—

Lydd Steeplechase—**Tim.**
Canterbury Hurdle—**Rocksplit.**
Penshurst Steeplechase—**Fair View.**
Four-Year-Old Handicap—**Barrackton Lad.**
Dover Steeplechase—**White Ronald.**
Westenhanger Hurdle—**Our Ben.**

2.0—LYDD SELLING HANDICAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Ballysax (5lb. ex.)	a	12	12	Little England	5	11	11
Tim	a	12	7	Square Cut	a	11	9
Ormskirk	a	12	6	Ulidia	a	11	8
Loch o' Garr.	a	12	2	Archbishop	a	11	5
Governor Wood	a	12	1	Freezomint	a	11	5
FitzPicton	5	12	0	Master Tommy	a	11	4
Mozzel	a	11	13	Certosa	a	10	13

2.30—CANTERBURY SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
St. Eloi	a	12	7	Greek Star	a	11	4
Atholhampton	6	12	2	D'ye Ken	6	11	3
Potentate	a	12	1	Sir Malcolm	5	11	3
Shooting Star	a	11	12	Columbus	a	11	2
Burly	a	11	12	Dinant	a	11	1
Flurry	a	11	11	Ballyhandy	a	10	13
Sandy Row	6	11	11	O'Flyn	a	10	13
Hampstead Heath	5	11	9	Maraskin	4	10	12
				Kinawley	4	10	11
Ronny the Rake	4	11	7	Mamoumie	5	10	10
				Branella	4	10	10
Hilaire	6	11	5	Archie's Lass	a	10	7
Carson	a	11	5	Jack of Lent	a	10	7
Rocksplit (5lb. ex.)	a	11	5	Glen Eagle	6	10	6
				Lado	4	10	5
Air Queen	5	11	4	Floater	a	10	4

3.0—PENSHURST HANDICAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
White Ronald	a	12	7	Knockcroghery II.	a	10	8
Carrolstown	a	11	13	Ballyhean	a	10	7
Broadway	a	11	12	South Lodge	a	10	6
Polish Prince	a	11	10	Triple Blue	a	10	5
Gem	a	11	9	Lochar	a	10	4
Pirnwinder	a	11	6	Royal Bladud	a	10	1
Lovely Bird	6	11	6	Financier	6	10	1
Providence	6	11	5				
Fair View	a	11	1				

3.30—FOUR YEARS OLD HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Barrackton Lad	12	7	Clincher	11	0
Couch o' Leary	12	7	Warrior	10	13
Ferne the Hunter	11	11	Caller Herrin'	10	12
Ronny the Rake	11	10	Sainte Helene	10	12
Deerslayer	11	8	Wandoo	10	11
Castalian	11	5	Noctifer	10	11
Brandyball	11	4	Redshank	10	11
Golden Idol	11	4	Vocalion	10	10
Tinder Box	11	2	Goldstream	10	9
Claygate	11	2	Sodalis	10	9

4.0—DOVER STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m. 1 f.

	Age.		Age.
Good Points	a	Wafer	a
Harrismith	a	Pumpkin Pie	6
Flotation	a	Vico	a
White Ronald	a	Manfrico	a
St. George II.	6	Uncle James	a
St. Swift	a	Slippery Stone	a
Milligan	a	Templebar	a
Pirnwinder	a	Condor	6
My Rath	a	Daisy Cutter	a

4.30 — WESTENHANGER NOVICES' HURDLE RACE of 85 sovs. 2 m.

	Age.		Age.
Rory O'Neil	4	The Falcon	5
Dundonald	4	Sangot	5
Doctor Quill	4	Golden Idol	4
Red Conrad	4	Mamoumie	5
Great Days	4	Jimmy Boy	4
Blanche Oliver	4	Belsize	5
Streak of Light	4	Wandoo	4
Teddie's Boy	4	Sainte Helene	4
Our Ben	4		

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT RELIABILITY TRIAL.

A spice of novelty was given to the open reliability trial of the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club on Saturday by reason of the fact that the route of the event was not known to the competitors until they assembled at the starting point at Enniskerry. It consisted of a circuit of approximately forty miles, and, as most of those entered for the trial had anticipated, it embraced many of the well-known test hills in the Northern portion of County Wicklow, as well as some new ground which might be described as of a Colonial character. Starting from Enniskerry, the competitors went via Annacrevy, the Old Long Hill, Goat Pass, Glencormac, Glencree road, Sallygap, Kilbride, Ballynascorney, Friarstown House, and Ballinagree. The checking points were also unknown to the competitors, so that an even speed of twenty miles per hour had to be maintained throughout. The competitors were timed as they passed the timekeepers, instead of being required to stop and sign checking sheets as usual. The rider having the least variation from the twenty miles schedule will be considered the winner of the captain's prize. The weather was favourable, and, with the roads in moderately good order, a very fair proportion of the competitors completed the distance. Those who finished were as follows:—T. F. Slevin, 3½ h.p. James; J. A. Carvill, 3½ h.p. B.S.A.; H. Adair, 4 h.p. B.S.A.; T. E Greene, 3½ h.p. Douglas; J. Healy, 2¾ h.p. James; L. A. Orr, 3 h.p. Matchless; H. E. Bell, 7 h.p. James; C. C. Callaghan, 3½ h.p. Norton; R. Humphreys, 2¼ h.p. Velocette.

SPEED TRIALS AT CLANDEBOYE.

SPECTATOR KILLED.

The North Down Motor Cycle Speed Trials were held on Saturday at Clandeboye, over a half-mile stretch. There was a good entry, and, given good weather conditions, high speeds were expected. The club had taken all possible precautions for the safety of the riders and spectators, fencing and roping a stretch at the start and finish, and also at the cross-roads.

Despite these precautions, a most regrettable accident occurred. The first event was successfully completed, and the riders were despatched on the second round of the next. A Rover rider, conceding time, was overtaking his opponent when he sustained a speed wobble and collided with a knot of spectators, one was struck on the face and injured seriously. He was medically treated on the course and afterwards removed to the Bangor Cottage Hospital, but he died before arrival. The rider turned over and was also injured and detained in hospital. The events were abandoned.

Details of the completed events are appended:—First round—Two ties, six byes. Second round—H. McGimpsey (A.J.S.) beat Dale (New Scale) (scr.); Thompson (Wetherall) beat Patton (Trump), 7 secs.; Ewing (Holroyd) beat J. McGimpsey (New Imperial); Megaw (Hawker) beat Chambers (A.J.S.). Third round—Megaw beat Ewing; McGimpsey beat Thompson. Final—McGimpsey beat Megaw; Thompson beat Ewing. Result—McGimpsey (A.J.S.), 3 secs., 1st; Megaw (Hawker), 5 secs., 2nd; Thompson (Wetherall), 3 secs., 3rd.

Second event—The first round consisted of four ties and four byes. In the ties, Magowan (Sunbeam) (scr.) beat Hamilton (Omega), 10 secs.; Max Thompson (A.J.S.), 2 secs., beat Angus (B.S.A.), 7 secs.; Gourley (B.S.A.) (scr.), beat Megaw (Hawker), 3 secs.; J. McGimpsey (New Imperial), 5 secs., beat Knight (Brevet) 5 secs.

Second round—Malcolmson (Rover) had a bye in the first round. He had passed Patton (Trump) when he collided with a spectator, as stated, and the meeting was abandoned.

The name of the unfortunate victim of the accident was Henry McKee, Sandown road, Belfast.

CRICKET.

HIGH SCHOOL v. ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE.

Played at Donnybrook on Saturday, and resulted in a win for St. Andrew's by 73 runs. For the winners, Williams, with 70, and O'Donnell, with 35, were the chief scorers. For High School, Morton did best with 23. Score:—

St. Andrew's College ...... 154 (for 5 wkts.)
High School 81

PEMBROKE WANDERERS CLUB.

The ground will be open for practice this evening. Members and intending members are requested to turn out.

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ALL IRELAND CLUB.

To-morrow (Tuesday)—Practice at 3.30.

HUNTING.

THE WARD HOUNDS.

Though these hounds finished their official season at the end of March, the fact that there remained two deer still at large necessitated things being kept in hunting order for their capture, as the Master was determined not to leave them out, fearing they might do damage to young crops.

The outlier in the North Country, having avoided capture after a great run with the Fingal Harriers, and successfully escaped pursuit on first occasion, these hounds went for him, and he was located by Mr. Long on his farm near Swords. The hounds came, and at once finding him he led hounds and followers a merry dance for two and a quarter hours before he was safely captured by the only two followers who remained with hounds, namely—Messrs. E. Bobbett and T. Dreaper.

The Batterstown outlier was even more elusive, as it was only after the third day appointed to hunt him that he was discovered, on word having been received from Mr. T. Everard that he was moving between his and Mr. Leonard's farms. The hounds went out on the morning of Tuesday, 24th, and finding him on Mr. Leonard's farm near Drumree another great hunt ensued. Having made a big half-circle by Parsonstown Poorhouse, he put his head straight, and was not captured till he was eventually foiled in the river at the mill at Kentstown and Somerville. This was a very trying hunt on the followers and staff, but Messrs. Delaney, E. Bobbett, and A. Sinnott, with hunt staff, remained with hounds during the three hours, making a point of twelve miles, but covering a much greater distance of country.

ASSOCIATION.

ENGLISH CUP FINAL.

BOLTON WANDERERS, 2; WEST HAM, 0.

On Saturday at Wembley Bolton Wanderers won the trophy at the third time of asking in the style of past-masters. West Ham had chances, but they were not able to accept them, and their doom was partly sealed when, at the end of the first three minutes, Jack scored the opening goal with a magnificent cross-drive. That goal was inspired by Joe Smith, whose long pass to the right wing, varied by the short and long passes between himself and Vizard, constituted one of the features of the match. Perhaps no team other than Bolton worked to plan with more studied success. At the initiation of many dangerous movements there were five men in or round about the half-back line, and Joe Smith has never blended a game of attack and defence with more success. The tactics of Bolton often left West Ham guessing, and their backs, of whom Young, perhaps, was the best, were valiant without being masterful. Henderson was often rattled in dealing with the left wing, and he must have finished the game with a high opinion of Vizard. Bolton only held a lead of one goal at the interval, but it was richly deserved, and the game had only been in progress about ten minutes after the resumption when the second came along. Here, again, Henderson was deceived by the elusive methods of the Welsh International, Vizard. The outside left after getting a safe position was expected to centre, but he merely pushed the ball quietly and squarely very near to the goal-line in the direction of his captain. From Joe Smith the ball went to his namesake, who in the first half had netted the ball very prettily, although from an off-side position. The Scot then delivered a terrific drive at close quarters, which, had it struck Hufton, must have knocked him off his pins. But the ball hit the under part of the cross-bar well inside the net, and then screwed out again. It was obviously a goal, although when a section of the crowd saw the ball emerge again they were naturally in doubt, until the referee ordered it to be taken to the centre. Now and again West Ham made a few dangerous movements, and in the majority of cases Richards, who took his corners from the ruck of the crowd with beautiful accuracy, was the leading spirit. Watson, however, did not play up to form, and was very uncertain near the net, otherwise West Ham might have equalised the two goals, although inferior to their opponents on the general run of the play. A splendid grounder by Richards in the first half was finely saved by Pym, but the backs, a resolute and clever pair, covered him so well that he had a comparatively easy time. Only Richards of the five men in the attack played up to form, and it cannot be said that the halves played a great game. On the other hand, the Bolton trio, led by Seddon, played a resolute and effective part, Seddon in particular doing well. Finney, the youngest member of the Bolton side, justified all the good things heard about him this season, and the team-builders had nothing to regret in asking Rowley to stand down. That the game should have been played to a finish as a Cup final was something akin to the miraculous.

BOHEMIANS OUTPLAYED.

For the third time inside a week Bohemians and Shamrock Rovers met at Dalymount Park on Saturday, on this occasion in the opening round of the Irish Shield, and Rovers once again triumphed, defeating the Dalymount side rather decisively by 5 goals to 2 after a game which gave plenty of excitement to the large crowd. In one sense the match proved disappointing, as, following on the defeat of Rovers in the Metropolitan Cup final the previous Wednesday by Bohemians' second team, it was hoped that the first side would do as good, if not better. The earlier play justified this expectation. Rovers had their full side available, and the inclusion of Marlow at half back and Fagan on the left wing considerably strengthened the team, whereas Bohemians were without the services of Robinson and Murphy forward, and, for the greater part of the second half, Otto, who met with a bad accident, and had to be taken to hospital in the ambulance.

In the opening half Bohemians gave a sparkling display, the forwards working with perfect understanding, and keeping the opposing defence constantly on the alert. The latter, however, were capable of dealing with this, and the half-backs occasionally broke up the Bohemian combination, but Rovers' forwards invariably failed to make much impression on the splendid defence of both Kerr and Crawford, the Rugby man again giving a sterling display at full back. In all departments in this period Rovers were outplayed, and when Willitts gave Bohemians the lead early it was only what was to be expected.

The second half, however, brought about a complete reversal of form, and Bohemians falling away to nothing, Rovers made good use of their chances. They not alone outplayed Bohemians, but they played good football for the greater part. Stoppages were frequent, and when Otto left Bohemians were done with, and the issue, so far as Shamrock Rovers were concerned, was safe.

Shamrock Rovers went away at the start, and the ball was twice behind the Bohemians' line inside a minute. When the latter settled down, however, superior forward play prevailed, and after three minutes Willitts, from a good right wing centre, opened the scoring. They were back quickly from the centre, and the Rovers' backs had to exert themselves to prevail over the exertions of Brooks and Willitts. This they did, but there were several chances which the Bohemian inside players missed. When the play had sped thirty-five minutes Gillispie got through for the second goal, and matters were now looking well for Bohemians. However, a few seconds before the interval Otto fouled Cowzer in the penalty area, and Fullam reduced the lead from the place kick. The second half went all in favour of Rovers, whose forwards played up with fine determination, and the home attack falling to pieces, and the half backs failing completely to hold out, they were completely overplayed. Flood equalised early, and shortly after Fullam put them leading with a splendid ground shot. Cowzer added the next from a well placed corner, and Crawford was responsible for the fifth by putting through his own goal trying to clear. Result:—

Shamrock Rovers 5
Bohemians 2

BRITISH ARMY v. BELGIAN ARMY.

BRUSSELS, Sunday.

In a football match here to-day the British Army defeated the Belgian Army by one goal to nil.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE.

North British and Mercantile v. Hibernian. Insurance Cup Final. Dalymount Park, 5.30.

BILLIARDS.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Smith's overwhelming win over Falkiner at Holborn Hall, London, on Saturday in the semi-final round of the contest for the Professional Championship enables him to meet Newman in the match for the title, which commences to-day. The Smith-Falkiner match had no interest after the opening stages, Falkiner, despite spasmodic flashes, being hopelessly outplayed, and ultimately beaten by practically half the game. On Saturday afternoon the play was uneventful. Falkiner gave a clever display in a top-of-the-table effort, yielding 236, and, in addition made 96 and 80, while Smith's chief runs were 83, 231, and 69. At night, however, Smith made 124, 230, 133, and 105, and Falkiner 128 and 107. Final scores:—

Smith 16,000
Falkiner 8,693

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GAELIC PASTIMES.

KICKHAMS' EASY WIN.

ARMY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

Though every effort was made to get a Tipperary team together for yesterday's interprovincial against Mayo, it was found impossible to get the Munstermen to travel at the last moment. Mr. O'Toole received a wire to this effect on Saturday midday, too late to prevent Mayo from making the long and fruitless journey from Ballina and beyond it. The Western men were at Croke Park yesterday and had practice at 4 o'clock. The players appeared to be in fit condition, and impressed the few spectators present.

The first evening match of the year was played at 7 p.m., in the Dublin Senior League, between Kickhams and St. Marys. A surprisingly large crowd attended, and, though rain showers made the ball and sod greasy, a most interesting struggle resulted, the football reaching a good standard in the closing stages.

With the wind behind them Kickhams attacked at once, Lawless giving a long crossing pass to Stanley, who drove just outside the upright. Kickhams continued to press, but found Fitzgibbon and Bradshaw very steady. Donovan had a free for Kickhams in a good position, but his finishers were again wide of the mark.

A bright passage followed from a long drive by Walsh. The Kickham captain secured and sent a screw-kick, in which Cleary snapped up and, slipping past, gave St. Mary's goalie no chance with a shot into the corner of the net. St. Mary's did better from the kick out. Bradshaw and Fitz worked up, and following a wide shot, McDonald hit the post. St. Mary's score was not long delayed. As a result of a pretty combined movement O'Toole placed Farrell, who drove just above the bar.

Getting into St. Mary's territory, per Holland and O'Beirne, Kickhams forced the pace. Cleary was again the medium, and another nippy catch swing and shot to the net sent Kickhams well ahead. They increased their lead by a long high point of Larkin's just before half-time.—

Kickhams—2 goals 1 point.
St. Marys—1 point.

Turning over St. Mary's wings were faulty, and Dowdall, on Kickhams' left attack, had an opening and kicked a minor. A welcome St. Mary revival followed. They fielded better, showed much cleverness on the sod and kept Kickhams' backs busy. Clever stopping and hand-passing were a feature, and then Mulhall got away to score a great goal for St. Marys. The game was a fast one now, and the tackling open and clean. Continuing to press, St. Marys stormed Kickhams' parallelogram, and Holland fouled at the goal mouth. Bradshaw took the penalty, and had the hardest luck in hitting the bar. The goal would have changed the game, and the escape gave Kickhams new heart, whilst it disconcerted St. Marys

Kickhams played very vigorous football from now on, forcing home attack after attack against the wind. They stayed far better than Marys, who were now a well-beaten team. Stanley and Dowdall kicked further points, leaving Kickhams winners on the score.

Kickhams—2 goals 4 points.
St. Marys—1 goal 2 points.

At Terenure Park in the forenoon University College met a weak Emerald United team. The students were in great form, and Frank Burke appears to have recovered all his skill. With Pierce and Madigan, he was always busy in the College attacks, and scores mounted up very quickly. Whelan and McGawley kicked points for Emeralds, but Kilcoyne, Scanlan, Lavin, and Madigan were prolific scorers for University College, who wound up easy winners on the score.

University College—6 goals 7 points.
Emerald United—2 goals 2 points.

Blackrock College have come into Gaelic games with a flourish. First they overwhelmed Terenure in their hurling baptism. Next they triumphed over University College last week, and on Saturday they came along and won well from Belcamp College by their dashing methods and hurling skill. They are all deft wielders of the ash; they hit firmly and quickly, and look like having a most successful season. On Saturday their score was 4 goals 2 points against 2 goals for Belcamp, who were far the lighter combination and played pluckily. Terenure had a big win against St. Endas in the same competition, winning by 7 goals and 1 point to 1 goal.

The Thatch, Drumcondra, is out of the way for many Gaelic followers, but some of the best matches ever played under Gaelic codes were played there.

Yesterday's games were not over-brilliant, but they were very closely contested, and victory was in doubt until the end. Keatings put up a determined fight against a depleted O'Toole team. They got a pair of goals and 1 point, succeeding in keeping their net safe right through the hour. But O'Toole's readier methods of fielding and punting helped them to win in the end. Final score:—

O'Tooles—8 points.
Keatings—2 goals 1 point.

A very exciting finish marked the meeting of Miltown Emmetts and Civic Guards, in the Senior League. At one time it looked as if the Guards were well beaten, but they stayed on better. The football was poor at times, but the close finish saved the game from mediocrity. The Guards won near the end of a vigorous hour's play.

Civic Guards—1 goal 5 points.
Miltown Emmetts—1 goal 3 points.

INTER-VARSITY HURLING.

DUBLIN DEFEAT CORK IN FINAL.

The final Inter-'Varsity hurling match for the Fitzgibbon Cup was decided yesterday at Southpark, Galway, when Dublin defeated Cork by one goal, after one of the most strenuous and exciting games ever played at this popular venue. It is estimated that there were over 4,000 spectators present.

Cork were the first to get away, and Mahony (Cork) essayed a score from three-quarters, the ball, however, going wide. From the puck out Daly (Dublin) took possession, and an opening afforded him a clear chance, but the Cork defence was sound, and play was transferred to midfield. Playing a splendid combination game, Cork broke down the Dublin defence, and scored a major. Midfield play was the order for some minutes, but a splendid drive from Pierce (Dublin) kept the Cork backs busy. A dangerous situation for Cork was relieved by Walsh, and play was once more confined to the Dublin territory. Cork kept up the pressure, and scored the second goal. Towards the close of the first half Dublin resumed the offensive, which they maintained until the whistle was blown, when the score stood:—Cork 2 goals, Dublin 1 goal 2 points.

On the resumption Cork again got going, and, cleverly passing the Dublin backs, O'Mahony drove wide. A splendid puck by Kennedy (Dublin) brought play close to the Cork goal, and Power registered a major. This was followed in quick succession by another. Nearing the end of the half-hour Dublin were pressing. The final score was:—Dublin 3 goals 2 points, Cork 2 goals 2 points.

Mr. J. Felly was referee. Teams:—

Cork—F. O'Shea (captain), T. Lee, M. O'Sullivan, J. O'Sullivan, J. O'Mahony, J. O'Mahony, Michael O'Toole, R. Hazel, S. Forde, B. Kelly, M. O'Donnell, P. Nuhop.

Dublin—T. Daly, M. Darcy, T. Pierce, S. Conway, J. Pierce, E. MacMahon, J. Phelan, P. Power, M. Waldron, P. McDonnell, J. O'Neill, T. Tanning, J. Kennedy, T. Kirby, J. Hogan.

LEINSTER HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

Leix and Offaly met yesterday at Tullamore in the first round of the Leinster Hurling Championship, when the Leix team, after a splendid game, fought to the last minute with determination and clean tactics, emerged victorious by a margin of two goals.

The teams were played on to the ground by the Tullamore Pipers' Band, and, five minutes after the scheduled time, referee Tom Hayes (Faughs' H.C., Dublin) set the game going before a gathering of about 3,000 spectators. The arrangements around the ground were a credit to the local Gaels, and the pitch was in lovely condition.

On the play the Leix men were, collectively, a superior combination; but the Offaly representatives included a few outstanding hurlers; and with closer combination and a little more speed, they might have forfeited a lesser margin.

For Leix, Carroll was faultless in the firing line, and O'Neill was at all times reliable. Moylan, Spencer, and Drennan were the pick of the rest. On the Offaly side the Cordials (4), Spain, White, and Fox showed to advantage at all times.

At half-time the scores were:—Leix 3-2, Offaly nil.

With the wind in their favour in the second moiety Offaly registered 4-5 to 3-1 for the winners. Full time:—Leix 6 goals 3 points; Offaly 4 goals 3 points.

LAWN TENNIS.

CLUB NOTICES.

CLAREMONT.—At the annual meeting the following officers were elected:—President—Mr. G. W. Rudd. Captain—P. J. O'Brien. Hon Treasurer—S. L. Heard. Committee—Paul Dunn, W. J. Young, P. E. Mathews, N. M. Kemp, Geo. Maguire, D. Hayden. Lady Captain—Miss K. O'Neill. Auditor—E. C. Bourke. Hon. Secretary—R. A. Duff, 41 Tritonville road, Sandymount. Courts open for play Saturday, May 5, weather permitting. Ladies' committee will be elected on above date.

LANSDOWNE.—Owing to the condition of the ground the club will not open for play till Saturday, 5th May.

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IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a full record of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

DUBLIN.

Guaranteed Land—62½ (F.).
2¾ p.c. Land Stock—*62½ (T.), 63½ (F.).
3 p.c. Land Stock—68¾ (T.), 68 9/16 (Th.).
Dublin Stock—*72c. (Th.).
Bank of Ireland—238c. (T.), *240c. (Th.), *242c. (F.).
Hibernian Bank—7¼ (T.), 7¼ (Th.), *7⅜ ¼ (F.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—7⅝ ¾ (T.), 7¾ (W.), 7 13/16 (Th.), 8 (F.).
National Bank—19½ (M.), 20 (T.), 20½ (W.), 21 1¼ (Th.), 21 1½ (F.).
Provincial Bank—23 (T.).
Ballinrobe and Claremorris—*60/- (F.).
Dublin S.E. Ord.—20 (M.), 20 (T.), 20 (W.), 20 (Th.).
Dublin S.E. Pref.—*43 (Th.).
Dublin S.E. Guar.—59½ (T.), 59½ (W.), 62a. (F.).
Dublin S.E. "A" Deb.—62 (W.), 62b. 64a. (F.).
Dublin S.E. "B" Deb.—61 (W.), 61 (Th.).
Great Northern Ord.—*64½ (M.), 66 *7 (T.), 67½ ½ (W.), 68 (Th.), 67½ (F.).
Great Northern Pref.—63b. (F.).
Great Northern Guar.—70 (F.).
Great Northern Deb.—*80 (M.), 79 (W.), 80a. (F.).
Great Southern Ord.—51 (M.), 51 (T.), 52 (W.), 51½ 1 *1 (Th.), 50 49½ (F.).
Great Southern Pref.—60 (M.), 59½ (T.), 59½ (W.), *57½ (F.).
Great Southern Guar.—64 5 (W.), 66 (Th.).
Great Southern Deb.—72½ (T.), 72½ (Th.), 73½ (F.).
London North-Eastern Def.—37½ (Th.).
London Mid. and Scottish—117 (Th.).
Midland G.W. Ord.—36 *5 (M.), 34 (T.), 32½ (W.), 33 (Th.), 33½ (F.).
Midland G.W. 5 p.c. Pref.—65 (M.), 65 6 (T.), 65 (W.), 67 (Th.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Pref—*47 (T.), 50b. (F.).
Midland G.W. Guar.—*56 (Th.).
Midland G.W. 4½ p.c. Deb.—72 (T.), 72 (Th.).
West Clare—87/6 (F.).

Anglo-Argentine Tram 4½ p.c. Deb.—77 1/16 (F.).
Alliance Gas—6½b. (M.), 6 3/16 (T.).
Alliance Gas Deb.—65 (W.), 67 (F.).
Arnott Ord.—*5 (Th.).
Arnott Pref.—77/6 (W.).
Associated Cement Ord.—24/9 (F.).
Bolands—*40/- (M.).
Bleachers—50/3 (M.), 50/6 (T.), 50/- 50/3 (Th.), 50/3 (F.).
British Col. Elec. Rail. 5 p.c. Pref.—87½ (T.).
Bradford Dyers—60/- (M.), 59/6 (T.), 59/9 (Th.), 59/6 9/- (F.).
British-Amer. Tobacco—95/- (M.), 94/3 (T.), 95/- 5/3 (W.), 95/3 4/10½ (Th.), 94/9 5/- (F.).
British-Amer. Tobacco Pref.—20/4½ (W.), 20/1½a. (F.).
Burke Ord.—63/9 (Th.).
Burke Pref.—67/6 (T.), 67/6b. 70/-a. (Th.), *70/- (F.).
Burke Deb.—7¾ (T.), 7¾ (F.).
British Controlled Oil Pref.—12/6 (M.).
City of Dublin Steam Ord.—136½ (F.).
City of Dublin Steam Pref.—*101½ (M.).
Calicos—27/- (W.), 26/9 (Th.), 26/9 6/3 (F.).
Coats—68/9 9/- (M.), 69/6 9/9 (T.), 69/6 (W.), 69/3 9/1½ *9/- (Th.), 69/6 (F.).
Coats "B" Pref.—25/- (W.), *25/- (Th.), 25/6 (F.).
Courtaulds—74/- (M.), 72/9 (T.), 73/6 3/3 3/6 (W.), 73/- 3/3 (Th.), 72/9 (F.).
Crowe Wilson Ord.—20/- (T.), 20/- (W.).
Dublin Distillers Ord.—29/6 (M.), 29/6 (T.).
Dublin Distillers Pref.—80/- (T.), 79/6 (W.), *77/6 (Th.), *79/- (F.).
Dublin Trams—7 11/16 (W.), 7½b. 7⅝a. (Th.), 7⅝ (F.).
Dublin Trams Pref.—10b. (M.), 10¼ ¼ (T.), *10½ (W.), 10½ (F.).
Dublin Trams "B" Deb.—67 (F.).
Dunlop French Incomes—16/- (W.).
Dunlops—9/7½ 9/9 (T.), 9/6 9/7½ (W.), 9/9 *9/7½ 9/9 (Th.), 9/9 9/10½ (F.).
Fine Spinners—52/6 (M.), 51/6 1/- (T.), 51/6, 1/9 (W.), 51/6 *1/9 (Th.), 51/9 2/6 *3/- (F.).
Fine Spinners Pref.—19/10½ (F.).
Findlater Pref.—52/-a. (F.).
Foster (M. B.) and Sons—28/3 (Th.), 27/9 (F.).
Guinness—51 3 2 1½ 2 1½ 2 ½ ½ ¼ 2¼ ¼ ¼ (M.), 52 ¼ ½ 2 ¼ 1½ ¾ 2 1½ 1 ¼ ½ (T.), 50½ ¼ ½ ½ 50 49⅞ ⅞ (W.), 50 49 15/16 50 49⅞ 15/16 (Th.), 50½ ¼ ⅛ ½ ¼ ½ ⅜ ½ ¼ (F.).
Guinness Pref.—12¾ (M.), 12 13/16 (T.), 12 13/16 ¾ (W.), 12 13/16 (Th.), 12¾ (F.).
Grand Canal Ord.—56/- (W.).
Grand Canal Pref.—*70/- (M.).
Grand Canal Deb.—55 (Th.).
Goulding Ord.—88/- (Th.).
Hayes Conyngham Debs.—*60/- (W.).
Hibernian Fire—3/9 (M.), 4/- (Th.), *4 (F.).
Harrod's Ord.—27/9 (F.).
Irish Times 5½ p.c.—60/- (F.).
Irish Times 6½ p.c.—*13/- (F.).
Imperial Tobacco—86/9 6/6 6/9 (M.), 86/- 5/9 6/4½ 6/6 7/- 6/10½ 7/7½ 7/6 7/3 (T.), 87/7½ 7/6 7/7½ 7/6 7/7½ 7/9 7/7½ (W.), 87/9 7/7½ 7/6 7/7½ (Th.), 87/- 7/1½ 7/3 7/6 (F.).
Imperial Tobacco, Canada—26/9 (M.), 26/3 (T.), 26/4½ (W.), 26/9 (Th.), 26/9 (F.).
Johnston Mooney Ord.—77/6 (Th.), 77/6 (F.).
Lever 7 p.c.—23/- (M.), 23/- (T.), 23/3 3/- (W.), 23/3 (Th.), 23/- (F.).
Lever 8 p.c.—21/9 (M.), 21/7½ 1/9 (T.), *21/9 (W.), 21/7½b. 21/9a. (Th.), 21/9 (F.).
Lister and Co. Ord.—31/9 (Th.).
Marconi—52/- (M.), 50/6 49/- 9/6 (T.), 48/9 (W.), 47/10½ (Th.).
Mexican Eagle—37/9 (M.), 37/6 (T.), 38/- 8/3 (F.)
Power Pref.—20/- (M.), 20/- (T.), 20/- (W.), 19/10½ (Th.), 20/- (F.).
Parent Tyre Ord.—15/10½ (Th.).
Parent Tyre Def.—25/- (M.), 25/3 (T.), 26/3 (W.).
Parent Tyre Pref.—14/6 (T.), 14/6 (W.), 14/6 (Th.), 14/3 (F.).
Pim Ord.—76/3 (W.).
Pim Deb.—*60 (T.).
Platt Bros. Ord.—43/9 (F.).
Radio Corp. Common—16/- (T.), 16/6 (W.), 16/3 (F.).
Radio Corp. Pref.—15/- (M.), 15/6 (T.), 15/3 (F.).
Sewing Cotton—50/3 (M.), 50/3 50/- (T.), 50/3 50/6 (F.).
South City Market Deb.—65 (T.).
Smyth and Co. Ord.—22/- (T.).
Shells—84/9 (T.), 85/- (W.), *85/6 (Th.), *84/6 (F.).
Todd Burns Ord.—17/9 (W.), 18/- (Th.).
Todd Burns Deb.—70/- (F.).
Thom (Alex.) Ord—20/-b. (F.).
Thom (Alex.) Pref.—55/-b. (Th.), 55/- (F.).
Vickers—15/7½ (Th.), 15/7½ (F.).
Vickers Tax Free Pref.—17/10½ (F.).
Walpole Pref.—65/-b. (F.).
White Tomkins—25/6 (T.), 26/6 (F.).
Walker (John) 7 p.c. Pref.—9d. 7½d. prem. (T.).
c.—Cash; b.—Bid; a.—Asked.

BELFAST.

Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. Mortgages—107 (M.), 107 (T.).
Belfast Corporation 5 p.c., 1945—98½ (T.).
Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1935—84 (F.).
London City and Midland—8 11/16 (T.), 8½ (W.), 8⅝ (Th.).
Midland Great Western Railway Ord.—36 (M.).
Northern Banking Co. A—5¾ (M.), 5 11/16 5⅝ (T.), 5⅝ (W.).
Northern Banking Co. B—2 13/16 (M.), 2⅞ (T.).
Provincial Bank—22½b. (F.).
Westminster Bank—18 11/16 (M.), 18¾ (T.), 18½ (W.), 18½ (F.).
Belfast and Co. Down Railway 4 p.c. Pref.—79 (F.).
Great Northern Railway Stock—62 (M.), 64½ (T.), 67½ 67½ (W.), 67½ (Th.), 68 (F.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Deb.—80½ (M.), 79 (Th.).
Great Southern and Western Railway Original—51½ (M.).

Arnott and Co.—35/- (F.).
Belfast Ropeworks Co.—39 (T.).
Bleachers' Association—50/10½ (M.).
British-American Tobacco Co. Ord.—95/- (M.), 95/- 95/6 (W.), 95/- 95/6 (Th.), 95/- (F.).
British-American Tobacco Co. Bearer—95/3 (M.), 95/6 (Th.).
British Cotton and Wool Dyers—13/6 (T.).
Brunner Mond—44/3 (Th.).
Coats Ord.—67/9 (M.), 69/3 69/4½ (W.), 69/3 (Th.)
Cowan (Wm.) Ord.—4½ (M.), 4½ (T.).
Cuthbert (W. M.) and Co. Ord.—20/3 (M.), 20/6 (T.).
Dunlop Rubber—9/7½ (M.), 9/6 (Th.).
Distillers Co.—21½ (T.).
Dunville and Co.—13½a. (F.).
Fairbairn, Lawson Combe, Barbour Ord.—27/6 (M.), 27/6 (T.), 27/- (W.), 27/- (F.).
Gas, Light, and Coke—100 (F.).
Guinness—50 7/8 (W.), 50 (Th.).
Hughes Bernard Ord.—30/- (Th.).
Imperial Tobacco—88/6 88/3 87/9 (W.), 88/- (Th.), 87/9 87/6 87/9 (F.).
Irish Distillery 6 p.c. Pref.—8½ (F.).
Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref.—22/9 (M.), 22/9 (T.), 23/3 (Th.), 23/3 (F.).
Lever Bros. 8 p.c. A Pref.—21/7½ (M.), 21/10½ (W.), 21/8½ (Th.), 21/8½ 21/9 (F.).
Maypole Deferred—37/9 (W.).
Mexican Eagles—38/6 (Th.).
Old Bushmills Distillery Ord.—42/6 (M.).
Parent Tyre Co. Deferred—27/7½ (W.), 28/- (Th.).
Platt Bros.—43/6 (Th.).
Robertson, Ledlie, and Ferguson—7½ (Th.), 7½ (F.).
Sawers 5 p.c. Pref.—15/- (M.).
Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.—21/6, 21/7½ (F.).
Vickers Ord.—16/- (T.), 16/- (W.).
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.—26/3 (Th.), 26/- (F.).
Workman Clark and Co. Deb.—89 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. Ord.—31 (T.), 32 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref.—22/6 (W.), 23/- (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 4½ p.c. Deb.—88 (F.).
a—Asked; b—Bid.

TRAFFICS.

Paraguay Central Railway—Week to April 21st, £2,720, increase £50. Grand Trunk Railway of Canada—Week to April 21st, £538,969, increase £227,613. Lancashire United Tramways—Week to April 24th, £2,822, decrease £193. Chatham and District Light Railways—Week to April 19th, £1,436, decrease £451.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

ABUNDANT CREDIT SUPPLIES.

Quite a large turnover in funds occurred in Lombard street, but the disturbance was only light, and, as a rule, borrowers were able to cover their requirements of day-to-day money at 1¼ p.c. Surplus balances were obtainable down to 1 p.c. in fair quantities. Fixtures were renewed at 1½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 13, 1922, 3%.

60 days (fine)	1¾	1⅞%			
3 months	1⅞	2%	Trade	3	3½%
4 months	1⅞	2%	"	3	3½%
6 months	2⅛	2¼%	"	3¼	3¾%
Loans to brokers day-to-day				1¼	1½%
" for a week					1½%
Deposit allowance Banks at call					1%
" Discount houses, at call					1%
" at notice					1¼%

The receivership for Dent and Palmer and Co. passed practically unnoticed. In the old days their endorsements were well known and considered highly, but few, if any, have been seen of recent years.

The tap rate for supplementary Treasury bills was raised to 1⅝ p.c. from 1 9/16 p.c., and with apprehension concerning the money outlook. Discounts were firm, fine three months' bank bills being 1 15/16-2 p.c., while the new Treasuries were being offered, business being on the basis of 1 15/16 "to over," and May and June paper, in which the banks were not working, were quoted 1⅞ p.c.

Silver rose 1/16d. on Indian and China buying, bars being 32 11/16d. per ounce for spot and 32 11/16d. for forward delivery.

The effect of the Indian banking difficulties, long expected, on the rupee was negligible. There was a slight demand, with business on the basis of 1s. 4 5/16d.-1s. 4⅜d. Otherwise in the market for foreign exchange sterling was steadier at $4.63 9/16, and francs showed little variation at 68.15, Belgian francs being 79.05 and Italian lires 94⅛. German marks, however, were weaker again at 137,500 to the £, while Austrian crowns improved a little to 325,000. The following are closing quotations:—

—	April 28.		April 27.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97 19/32		97 19/32		97½d.
Amsterdam	11.85½	11.86	11.84½	11.85	12.10
B. Ayres	42 7/16	42 7/16	42 7/16	42 7/16	47.58
Barcelona	30.30	30.32	30.30	30.32	25.22
Berlin	136,000	139,000	134,000	137,000	20.40
Bombay	1/4 5/16	1/4⅜	1/4 5/16	1/4 11/32	1/4⅜
Brussels	79.05	79.15	79.00	79.10	25/22½
Calcutta	1/4 5/16	1/4⅜	1/4 5/16	1/4 11/32	1/4
Christiania	26.52	26.57	26.60	26.70	18.15
Copenhagen	24.68	24.72	24.65	24.75	18.15
Czecho-Slov	155¾	156¼	155½	156½	—
Finland	166¾	167¼	166½	167¼	25.22½
Greece	390	400	390	400	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/3⅞	2/4⅛	2/3⅞	2/4⅛	†
Hungary	21,000	23,000	21,000	23,000	—
Italy	94	94¼	93¾	94¼	25.22½
Lisbon	2¼	2⅜	2¼	2⅜	53⅛d.
Madrid	30.31	30.33	30.30	30.35	25.22½
Mexico	25d		25d		24⅛d.
Montreal	4.72½	4.73	4.71	4.72	4.86
Montevideo	42½	43	42¾	43¼	51d.
New York	4.63½	4.63¾	4.62¾	4.63¼	4.86
Paris	68.15	68.25	68.20	68.30	25.22
Poland	210,000	220,000	310,000	320,000	—
RiodeJan.	5 7/16	5½	5 7/16	5½	16d.
Roumania	960	1,000	920	1,000	—
Shanghai	3/2	3/3	3/2	3/3	†
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4½
Stockholm	17.30	17.33	17.27	17.32	18.15
Switzerland	25.52	25.55	25.46	25.52	25.22
Valparaiso	37.10		37.40		13.33
Vienna	320,000	330,000	320,000	340,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅜	2/1 1/16	2/1⅜	2/1 1/16	24.5

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 137,500.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ROBERTSON, LEDLIE, FERGUSON AND CO.—In a circular letter to the shareholders the directors of Messrs. Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson and Co., Ltd., say:—We are pleased to inform you that the amount of compensation for the damage done at the Cork depôt has now been definitely settled, and the company have already received a payment on account. Negotiations with the Revenue are proceeding, and it is expected that the amount to which the company is entitled by way of refund excess profits duty will be determined at an early date. We may add we have already received a substantial sum on account. In the above circumstances it is proposed to convene a meeting of the shareholders in September next, at which trading accounts for the lapsed period and up to the 31st July, 1923, will be submitted, and the directors have to express their deep regret that this was not possible sooner. It was felt, however, that it would serve no useful purpose to call the shareholders together unless we were in a position to submit audited accounts to them. The directors entertain the hope that with normal conditions prevailing, and the anticipated improvement in business, the payment of dividends on both classes of shares may be resumed at an early date, and in the meantime they have declared one year's dividend to 31st January, 1923, on the Preference Shares.

DARJEELING.—Dividend of 10 per cent. (actual), less tax.

KELLNER-PARTINGTON PAPER PULP.—Dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax, for year.

LANCASHIRE WAGGON.—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary shares.

KIMANIS RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent. for year.

BANK OF MONTREAL.—Dividend of 3 per cent. for quarter.

ARMY AND NAVY CO-OP.—Further dividend of 1/- per share.

BUKIT SEMBAWANG RUBBER.—Dividend of 3 per cent. less tax; forward, £25,902.

MUTUAL PROPERTY INSURANCE.—Dividend at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

DANGAN RUBBER.—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Preference shares for the fourteen months ended December 31, 1922.

BRITISH THOMSON-HOUSTON.—It is proposed to maintain the Ordinary dividend at 5 per cent. (tax free).

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE.—Dividend for 1922 of 13s. per share, less tax.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE AND GENERAL INSURANCE.—Dividend of 2/- a share, 10 per cent., free of tax; forward £109,251.

WILSONS AND CLYDE COAL.—Final dividends at rate of 7 per cent. per annum on Preference shares and of 2/- per share on Ordinary shares, both less tax.

ARGENTINE TRAMWAYS AND POWER.—Final dividend of 7 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the Preference shares, leaving £832 to be carried forward.

JAMES DUNLOP.—Accounts for 1922 show a loss of £27,432, to which must be added the Preference dividend, making an adverse balance of £46,931. Deducting the credit balance of £16,727 brought in leaves a debit balance of £30,204, against which the directors have transferred £40,000 from reserve, giving a credit balance of £9,795, which they propose to carry forward.

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing prices:—Alldays and Onions, 6d.; Austin Ord., 2/6; do. B Pref., 2/10½; do. Prefd. 10 p.c., 1/6; Belsize Motor, 4/3; Birmingham Small Arms, 12/7½; Bluemel Bros., 19/6; Bowden Brake, 13/6; Bretts Stamping, 18/-; Brolt, 6/-; Brooks (J. B.), 35/6; Calcott Bros., 63/-; Calthorpe Invest., 12/6; Charron Motor, 3/3; Components, 6/6; Coventry Chain, 17/6; Crossley Motors, 8/3; Dennis Bros., 34/6; Enfield Cycle, 23/9; Fodens, 29/6; Guy Motors, 3/-; Halford Cycle, 49/6; Halley's Motor, 9/6; Harper Bean, 1/9; Hughes Johnson, 25/3; Humber, 25/6; do. Pref., 18/-; James Cycle, 15/9; Leyland Motor, 2/9; Leyland Rubber, 22/7½; Lucas (Jos.), 39/-; Maudslay, 6/6; Napier Ord., 7/-; do. Pref., 15/-; New Hudson, 16/3; Riley (Coventry), 7/3; Rolls Royce, 30/-; Rovers, 22/4½; Rudge-Whitworth, 18/9; do. Pref., 3¼; S.T.D. Motors, 8/7½; do Pref., 12/-; Singer and Co., 24/-; Smith (S.) and Sons, 3/9; Smith's Stamping, 24/6; Standard Motor, 40/-; Star Engineering, 5/3; Stepney Spare Wheel, 29/6; Stevens (A. J.), 24/6; Straker Squire, 1/3; Swift, 11/9; do. Pref., 14/-; Triumph, 37/-; Vandervell (C. A.) and Co. Prefd., 3/3; Vauxhall Motor, 8/7½; Vulcan Motor, 3/6; Wolseley Motor Pref., 8/-; Wrigley (E. G.), 4/6; Dunlop Rubber, 9/7½; do. A Pref., 17/6; do. B Pref., 16/-; Parent Tyre Ord., 16/6; do. Pref., 14/3; do. Deferred, 27/6; Tyre Investment, 9/6.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

In view of the requirements of capital for the new sinkings proposed to be undertaken, and in view also of the fact that certain moneys reserved by subsidiary companies for contingencies are no longer required for these purposes, it has been decided to add these reserves to the reserve of the Tredegar Company, and to recommend to the shareholders to capitalise the whole. The directors propose to issue two new shares of £1 each, fully-paid, for every £5 of capital held in the company. Dividend for the year ended March 31st, 1923, 12½ per cent., free of tax, on A and B shares.

The directors of Sir Titus Salt, Bart., and Co., Ltd., spinners and manufacturers, Saltaire Mills, Saltaire, have issued a statement that negotiations are in progress for converting the company into a public undertaking by an offer of capital which, it is stated, does not imply any alteration in the policy of the company, and it may be anticipated that the present directors will continue to be actively associated. The business of Sir Titus Salt was formed into a private company in 1881, and the whole of the authorised capital of £1,500,000 is held by the directors and their families.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DONCASTER, Saturday.—An unusually heavy supply of cattle, chiefly stores, for which there was steady inquiry. No change in prices. Milk beasts easier, making up to £40 for best. Bullocks ranged from £20 to £26, heifers £16 to £24, stores £10 to £12, sheep 85/- to 90/. Slow trade in pigs; sucking cheaper.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Saturday.—WHEAT—Cargo market steady, but quiet; No. 1 Northern Manitoba afloat sellers 52/6, Pacific August-September 50/6, Australian afloat 53/6, Rosafe (62½ lbs.) April-May 50/-, choice white Karachi afloat 52/-, May-June 50/3. Parcels quiet, and tendency easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba April-May sold at 49/4½, May-June 48/9, Australian early May 52/6, Karachi May-June 49/-, Rosafe (62½lbs.) April-May 48/9 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes quiet; Plate steamers 10th May loading 39/-, end May 38/-, May-June 37/-, July 36/9. Parcels steady; Plate April-May sold at 37/1½, May-June 35/7½ to 35/9, No. 6 yellow African July-August sellers 34/6, August-September 34/3, No. 2 mixed American April 15th-May 36/9 per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet; cargoes of Persian September-October sellers 24/-, Dan.-Bess.-Kas. April-May 28/6 per 400lbs. Parcels unaltered. OATS steady; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 24/6, April-May and May-June 23/9, No. 2 Canadian feed 25/4½ per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—WHEAT—The decline in America, which was partly attributed to more favourable crop, and weather reports, and increased shipments from the Atlantic seaboard given by "Bradstreet's" for past week, had an adverse influence on speculative positions of wheat here to-day. Offerings were made more freely, and prices gave way to a liberal extent, specially for distant positions, which, however, finished slightly over the worst point. C.i.f. parcels of wheat failed to attract attention; No. 1 Manitoba afloat offered at 50/-, April-May 49/4½, Rosario-Santa Fe (62½lbs.) loading 49/3, and Baril, same weight and position, 48/6 per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE American mixed afloat sold at 37/3, and River Plate May-June quoted 36/- per qr. Wheat on the spot was quiet, and prices favoured buyers. Maize—Spot parcels scarce, with offerings made sparingly at higher prices. American mixed quoted 8/5½ to 8/4½, and River Plate 8/7 to 8/8 per cental. FLOUR firmly held at the recent advance. Graded red wheat futures opened ½d. to ¾d. per cental lower, and further gave way ½d. to ¾d., then recovered somewhat, but the market closed quiet, with May ½d., July ¾d., and October 1d. under last night. Sales—50 loads at 10/5½, 10/5¼, and 10/5½ for May, 10/1¼, 10/0¾, 10/1½, 10/1, July, and 9/10½ for October delivery. Closing values—May 10/5¼, July 10/1, October 9/- per cental. Maize options nominal. Imports of Grain (cwts.)—To-day—Flour, 1,242. This week—Wheat, 443,272; flour, 10,375; maize, 128,335; peas, 390; beans, 9,800. This year—Wheat, 6,410,420; flour, 205,372; maize, 2,323,071; peas, 111,250; beans, 114,134. Last year—Wheat, 6,484,072; flour, 347,992; maize, 3,166,695; peas, 77,825; beans, 24,161.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.—Prices tending higher; foreign wheat 10/9 to 11/3, English 9/3 to 10/. Barley 7/6 to 8/5. American maize 8/4, Plate 8/9. Scotch oats 10/9 to 11/2; foreign 9/2 to 10/6; boxings 8/3, bran 7/9, broad bran 9/3 per cwt. Flour 40/- to 45/- per sack.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—IRISH BACON in small supply at 118/- to 128/- per cwt., but little wanted. Danish continues to be freely offered at late rates. Canadian Wiltshires quietly steady. American selections of bacon here again rule quiet, live hogs at Chicago being dearer, and speculative products somewhat irregular, with practically no arrivals at this port. Holders still display anxiety to reduce stocks, and buyers have the advantage in matter of price, though no quotable change is made in value of any description. HAMS quiet, with only a moderate inquiry at about late rates. Shoulders quiet, with picnics only attracting some little attention. LARD on the spot rules quietly steady at unchanged prices for both prime steam and American refined. CHEESE rather more sought after at 95/- to 98/- for States, 98/- to 100/- white New Zealand, 100/- to 102/- coloured, and 100/- to 102/- per cwt. for Canadian. BUTTER steady, with a fair demand at late rates for most descriptions. EGGS in moderate request, and steady at 11/- to 11/6, per 120 for both Irish hen and duck. Imports of provisions:—To-day—Bacon, 85; hams, 55; lard, 500. This week—Bacon, 6,642; hams, 3,750; lard, 17,347; pork, 37; cheese, 6,376; beef, 10; butter, 1,254. This year—Bacon, 153,635; hams, 61,476; lard, 359,477; pork, 4,111; cheese, 102,056; beef, 1,351; butter, 64,430; last year—Bacon, 135,815; hams, 52,744; lard, 322,800; pork, 2,293; cheese, 79,695; beef, 2,730; butter, 43,110.

REFINED LARD FUTURES.—Liverpool, Saturday.—Chicago finished worse than expected, and little business was done here, prices showing no material change from last night. May sold at 62/-, July 62/9, and September quoted 63/3 to 63/6 per cwt.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Saturday.—A fair market; large supply of cabbage; demand opened well, but finished up badly. Prices—York cabbage 10/- to 40/- per load, cauliflowers 6/3, 6/6 to 7/- per dozen, swede turnips 2/- to 3/- per cwt., rhubarb 3/-, 5/3 and 8/6 per bundle, lettuce 1/1 to 1/8 per dozen, celery 8d. to 10d. per bundle, thyme 4d. to 1/- per tray, scallions 4d. to 8d. per bundle.

CORK BUTTER, Saturday.—The tone of the market is weak, and wholesalers anticipating further early reductions are moving cautiously. Creameries 135/- to 145/- per cwt., choicest mild cured 145/-, special dairies extra, farmers' fresh consignments 139/.

DUBLIN FISH, Saturday.—Fish in small quantity, which readily sold—viz., 35 packages salmon, 4 chests lobsters, and a trifle of fish from country boats. Prices ran as follow:—Salmon 2/3 to 2/6 per lb., large lobsters 20/- to 25/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, smalls 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 13, large soles 20/- to 40/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, and slips 5/- to 7/5 per 9 pairs; turbot 6d. to 12/6 each, brill 6d. to 5/- each; plaice per 4, 6/- to 8/- for large, and ditto medium per 8 6/- to 8/-; plaice per half box 40/- to 60/-, ray 15/- to 25/-.

GRIMSBY FISH, Saturday.—Thirty-one North Sea, 1 Iceland, 3 Faroe trawlers, and 1 liner landed poor supply. Demand moderate. Plaice 13/-, lemon soles 16/-, halibut 9/- to 12/-, cod 5/6, skate 6/- to 7/6, small haddocks 4/6, kit 7/-, gibbed 8/6, dabs 0/- to 10/-, codlings 6/- per stone, soles 1/11, turbot 11d., brill 1/1 per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Saturday.—Supply fair; demand moderate. Salmon 29d. to 34d., soles 16d. to 22d., slips 18d. to 24d. per lb.; live eels 22/- to 38/-, dead 20/- to 32/- per draught; turbot, also brill, 10/- to 11/-, plaice 7/- to 10/-, halibut 8/- to 11/-, lemon soles 8/- to 12/-, witches 5/- to 8/-, cod 4/- to 5/6, hake 7/-, gurnet 3/- to 4/-, bream 2/-, haddocks 4/- to 7/- per stone.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Saturday.—Beef—Scotch long 6/8 to 7/-, short 7/4 to 8/-, English 6/- to 6/8, Argentine chilled hind 4/10; mutton, wethers, Scotch 9/8 to 10/4, English 9/- to 10/-; ewes, Scotch and English 5/4 to 6/-, frozen 3/8 to 5/2; lamb, English 11/4 to 12/8. Trade quiet retail and prices unaltered.

SPITALFIELDS POTATO, Saturday.—Market firm for best samples of old, but inferior slow, while new ruled easier on larger arrivals. King Edwards 75/- to 80/-, Lincoln, Great Scott, Arran Chief, and Evergood Shirts 45/-, Majestics 65/-, Blackland King Edwards 60/-, Kerr Pinks, Tunwald, Perfection 50/- per ton, new Teneriffe 8/- per case, Spanish 20/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Saturday.—SUGAR—Market for refined parcels on the spot remained steady, with a moderate demand for British makes at late rates. Of foreign, American granulated spot quoted 65/6, May steamer 30/- c.i.f. London, white Java spot 63/6 to 63/9, ditto May-June 33/-, June-July 31/-, July-August 29/6 c.i.f. London. White terminal quiet and easier; August sold 36/-, 36/4½, and 36/-, December 28/7½, 28/4½, and 28/6, October-December 29/7½ per cwt. COFFEE remained quiet by private treaty, and except for fine parcels prices tend in buyers' favour. TEA—Market ruled quiet, pending auctions next week. RICE dull; two stars spot quoted 13/9, new crop afloat 13/6 c.i.f.; brokens move off slowly at late rates. Rangoon peas spot 8/-, and Japanese peas spot 26/- per cwt. SPICE—Pepper slow; fair black Singapore spot 4½d., April-June 4 3-16d. Aleppy spot 4½d., Tellicherry spot 4½d., white Singapore 6d., Muntok 6½d., April-June 6th 1-16d. Zanzibar cloves steady; spot quoted 1/-, March-May steamer 11½d. TAPIOCA—Fair flake Singapore spot 3¾d., and fine Java 4½d. per lb. Fair Penang seed pearl tapioca spot 32/6. Small sago 24/6. Sago flour—May-July 13/9. Desiccated coconut—Fine cut spot 47/9, medium 49/-, halves May-June 43/9 per cwt. JUTE inactive, and without material alteration in prices; first grade to usual Continental ports May-June value £29 10/-, August-September £29 buyers, September-October £29 value, lightning grades May-June £28 10/- nominal, and new crop £28 10/- sellers per ton. Hessians and twills without change. HEMP—Market quiet but steady; Manila J grade April-June buyers £33 10/-, K £32 10/- value, L £32 5/- buyers, M £31 10/- sellers per ton. New Zealand and African sisal are unchanged. SHELLAC quiet; T.N. spot quoted 325/-, May sellers 315/-, August 285/- per cwt. COPRA again easier; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam Febrna April £29 2/6 value, March-May sold at £28 17/6 to £28 15/-, April-June £28 10/-, Ceylon April-May quoted at £31 5/-, Java March-May £29 5/-, April-June £29. Dutch East Indies March-May sold at £28 17/6 to £28 16/3, Cebu April-May quoted £28 5/-, South Sea Island £27 15/-; to Marseilles, F.M. Straits April-May £27 15/-, mixed £27 12/6. PALM KERNELS May-July to Liverpool quoted at £19 17/6 per ton. RUBBER opened easier, closing fully steady; standard plantation crepe and sheet spot also May sold at 1/3¼, June 1/3⅜ to 1/3⅜, July-September 1/3⅝ to 1/4, October-December 1/4¼ to 1/4½ per lb. Wild sorts unaltered. OILS—Linseed steady; spot 49/6, May-August 43/6, September-December 39/9. Rape—Crude spot 45/-. Cotton—Crude Egyptian spot 43/-. Chinawood—Hankow spot barrels 138/-. Coconut—Ceylon May-June 47/- per cwt. Turpentine nominally unaltered, also petroleum and rosin. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet; Calcutta afloat £21 12/6 sellers, April-May £21; Plate afloat £20 12/6, April-May £19 12/6. Rapeseed quieter; Toria May-June £18 5/-, real bold Ferozopore ditto £16 17/6, Jamba £14. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black May £12 6/3, white £11 10/-, Bombay May-June £9 17/6 per ton. Gingelly and castor unaltered.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—CANE SUGAR quiet, with the value of Cubans forward shipment 33/6 per cwt., c.i.f., basis 96 deg. pol. Brazilian and Peruvian not offering. The following are Messrs. Tate's and Lyle's quotations:—Crystals—No. 1 68/3, small No. 1 67/9, No. 2 66/6, bright 66/4½; granulated, standard 66/3, H.T.S. 66/6, coarse 66/7½, fine 66/7½, all ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ per cent. discount. Cubes, ex refinery in London—1st quality 71/9, H.T.S. 70/9, afternoon tea 71/9, less 1½ per cent. discount. COCOA quiet, unchanged for West African spot and forward. Late yesterday fair sales of Lagos on spot made at 35/- per cwt. in bond. COFFEE slow, and no transactions reported. RICE quiet, unchanged at 13/6 per cwt. for Burmah forward shipment. LINSEED quiet, and for River Plate shippers quote £20 15/- per ton for forward shipments. COTTONSEED steady, with buyers of white Brazilian forward shipment £8 15/- per ton. HEMP—Manila steady; buyers J grade at £33 10/-, c.i.f., May-July April-June. Sales reported in No. 2 Cebu Naguer at £27 10/- per ton, c.i.f., May-July. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak in store quiet at 15/- to 15/6, with forward shipments March-May quoted 13/4½ per cwt. c.i.f. RANGOON BEANS—White hand-picked on spot unaltered at 10/- to 10/6 from store, with f.a.q. in store quoted 7/9 per cwt. JAPANESE PEAS—Business is on a quiet scale, but store parcels remain without quotable change at 28/- to 29/- per cwt. RICE BRAN quietly steady at £5 12/6 for April-May shipment, and £5 15/- per ton for May-July shipment, ex ship terms. COPRA quiet, and sundried West African sorts scarce and nominally £26 10/- per ton. LOCUST BEANS—Cyprus slow of sale, but forward shipments held for £5 per ton, c.i.f. in bulk. OIL CAKES quiet, unchanged; American linseed £9 12/6 c.i.f. April-May shipment; Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed £7, forward shipment, ex ship terms. PALM KERNEL OIL quiet; Liverpool crushed prompt £43 5/-, and extracted forward delivery £41 15/- per ton, ex mills naked. COCOANUT OIL—Ceylon for forward shipment to Liverpool without change at £47 10/- per ton, c.i.f., but buyers operate quietly. PALM OIL quiet, without change in values, and no sales reported in any description or position. PALM KERNELS quiet, with sellers May-July at £20, and buyers at 2/6 per ton less. TALLOW slow, but shippers make no further change in their asking prices. DYEWOODS—Logwood and fustic in quiet demand, but prices remain steady on spot. GAMBIER—Block on spot scarce, and the value still more or less nominal. For shipment 39/- c.i.f. wanted. Cubes steady, and spot parcels of No. 2 quoted 60/-, with forward shipment still held for 57/6 for No. 1 and 55/- per cwt. for No. 2 quality, c.i.f. terms. CUTCH steady, with moderate offerings, and late rates asked on spot. GUM steady, with Niger Arabic still inquired for, and holders maintain their limits. RUBBER—Para quiet; hard fine spot 1/3 per lb. Plantation quiet; buyers crepe July-September 1/4, and value May crepe 1/3¾ per lb. CASTOR OIL—English prices remain at the recently improved level, viz., £62 for pharmacy, £57 firsts, and £56 per ton seconds, ex mills Hull in barrels. For good seconds Calcutta for shipment 6d. per lb. quoted ex quay terms Liverpool, in cases, but buyers little interested. COTTONSEED OIL—Liverpool makes steady at 50/- for deodorised, and 47/- per cwt. common edible, net naked ex mills. LINSEED OIL steady, with 53/- per cwt. quoted for raw on spot in barrels. ROSIN steady, but quiet, with American types showing no quotable change. TURPENTINE scarce on spot, with the value of American 113/6; for May delivery 110/- per ton repeated. PETROLEUM OILS steady; American refined on spot in barrels 1/1 to 1/2 per gallon. NITRATE OF SODA in fair demand, and spot sellers quote £13 5/- to £13 10/- per ton, as in quality, in single bags.

OILCAKES AND FEEDING-STUFFS, London, Saturday.—Linseed Cakes—Prices have further declined, the values of home-made cakes being now £10 7/6 to £10 12/6 per ton on rail, with offers of high-class Calcutta cakes at very reasonable figures. Cotton Cakes are less steady, but supplies of home-made cakes are limited, and there is very little crushing taking place. Home-made cakes are now £7 7/6 on rail, with sellers of Egyptian-made afloat and for shipment at £6 16/3 ex ship. Bombay Cakes quoted £5 17/6 per ton. Decorticated Cotton Cakes in limited supply, and a recent arrival of 52 per cent. oil and albuminoids met a ready sale at £11 10/- per ton ex dock. Decorticated Groundnut Cake on spot £11 15/- per ton landed. Extracted Groundnut Meal quoted £6 12/6 ex mill. Cocoanut Cakes slow; English unaltered at £7 10/- to £7 15/- ex works. Palm Kernel Meal unchanged at £5 per ton ex works. Milling Offals—Middlings firm at 7/6 to 7/9 ex mill; bran steady at 6/3, broad bran 7/3 to 10/-. Plate pollards 6/4½ landed.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Saturday.—Imported during the week 475 tons, melted 5,230 tons, stock 19,187. Demand during the week advanced; prices of whites 8d. and yellows 2/6 to 4/6. Quotations—Fine crystals 66/- to 64/6, fine granulated 68/3 to 65/6, ordinary 65/-, yellow 52/- to 56/. Market closes strong, good business doing. No improvement in supply of yellows.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LEICESTER WOOL, Saturday.—Wool remains very firm, and, of course, follows the tendency of the London sales to harden. Yarns are in moderate demand, though there is a slight improvement in orders. Hosiery remains about the same, but the tendency to buy to the lowest ebb still continues, and if there is a sudden period of warm weather the orders for fancy goods will probably cause a flood of demands, which the factories will not be able to satisfy.

BALLYMENA FLAX MARKET.—At the Ballymena flax market on Saturday, twenty tons of fibre were offered for sale, and, as the demand was steady, it was all sold. The prices ranged from 13/- to 16/6 per stone, and the bulk of the material realised prices ranging from 14/- to 15/- per stone. There was the usual attendance of buyers.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Saturday.

Homeward markets closed the week with a very steady tone, but business was on a limited scale. The River Plate continues to display firm features, with a good inquiry for May tonnage, and handy size steamers up river to U.K.-Continent held for 37/6, with larger sizes at 31/-. Forward positions, however, are less in request, and values rule at about 28/9 for June-July. North American grain moves off slowly, and Northern range ports to West Italy quote 19 cents May, with similar cargoes from Montreal at 22 cents, and Greece 24 cents per 100lbs. Coal from Northern range to French Atlantic may possibly repeat 3¼ dollars and Rio de Janeiro 3¼ dollars per ton. Nitrate ports are quietly steady at about 32/6 to U.K.-Continent and 8¼ dollars to the United States. Cuba sugar indicates 22/6 to U.K.-Continent May. Pacific Coast indicates 37/6 August loading to U.K.-Continent, and Tampa phosphate 5 dollars to the Far East. Eastern markets remain firm, and tonnage in small supply. Karachi can repeat 27/- scale basis, and Java sugar maintains 37/6 June shipment to U.K.-Continent. Danube grain established 21/9 to U.K.-Continent, but mineral ore business remains very quiet, and rates nominally unaltered. Outward coal chartering continues restricted, although the inquiry show signs of improvement, while rates display a hardening tendency. Other departments without new feature. Fixture:—Sanmango, American Northern range to La Pallice, May, 3 dollars 15 cents, coal.

COMPANY MEETING.

HIBERNIAN INSURANCE COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company, Ltd., was held on Saturday at the head offices, 48-49 Dame street, Dublin—Mr. William Field, Chairman, presiding.

The directors present were:—Senator J. C. Dowdall, and Messrs. D. J. Cogan, P. W. Corrigan, George W. Strahan, LL.D.; Edward Williams, and Sir Joseph Downes.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report and statement of accounts, said that the year under review had been a period of unprecedented difficulty for Irish industries and all kinds of commercial activity. It had been handicapped by uncertainties of all kinds, in the handling of goods, in the delivery of mails, as to the enforcement of legal rights, and the wholesale destruction of buildings and consequent loss of income to this country. In spite of these conditions, Irish industry had survived, which was a great tribute to its financial soundness, and, if it had not yet emerged triumphant, it was well on the way to doing so. The conditions he had referred to had almost entirely disappeared, and with them, let them hope, the extra taxation, which was inevitable in order to meet them. The directors looked forward with confidence to the future. The prosperity of the company would go hand in hand with the prosperity of the country. The position which they had attained under unprecedented difficulties bore eloquent testimony of what they might confidently look forward to under more favourable auspices. He hoped they might all look forward to the time when Irish insurers would give the same measure of support to Irish insurance companies as they now did to Irish banking concerns. Dealing with the balance sheet, they would observe their income had been substantially increased. Their ratio of expenses had been reduced; their claims ratio was still many points below the level of the vast majority of other companies. He thought they might claim credit for this state of affairs owing to careful management in every branch of insurance and rigid economy in expenses. Their reserves last year for unexpired liability and for outstanding claims amounted to approximately £28,000, and as against this the sum of approximately £25,000 was paid in claims. Their reserves for similar contingencies for the year under review amounted to nearly £38,000, apart altogether from their reserve for depreciataion of investments, amounting to £11,900. He was pleased to be able to tell them a very substantial increase had taken place in the value of their investments, and the amount of the investment reserve fund was considerably in excess of what was needed. It had been frequently stated by unscrupulous competitors that their investments were not in Irish securities. From the balance sheet they would see that the entire investments of the company were in Irish trustee stocks, and since the publication of their balance sheet a further substantial sum had been invested in Irish trustee securities. Their assets had increased by £20,000 during the year, and, with a credit to profit and loss account of £10,456 13s. 5d., he might justly claim that they had had a very successful year. They looked forward to future development in no uncertain spirit of optimism. He was pleased to inform them that Senator J. C. Dowdall, of Cork, had been co-opted a director on the board. (Hear, hear.) Confirmation of his appointment would come before that meeting.

Mr. D. J. Cogan seconded the resolution.

Mr. H. P. Courtney said that he was glad that the Chairman spoke with confidence of the company and, what was more important, of the country generally. The cost of running the company compared favourably with the cost of British insurance companies of the highest standard. He deprecated the competition between the Irish insurance companies, of which the country could not be proud, and he urged that these companies, instead of fighting each other, should fight the common enemy. A question had been raised at their last meeting about the Irish bank managers not supporting their company and giving a preference to foreign companies. During the year he had the privilege of raising the question at some of the bank meetings. At the Provincial Bank they said nothing very hostile, the Hibernian Bank seemed entirely friendly, and the Royal Bank chairman received his remarks royally, and he had no doubt the directors would not be in opposition to the Hibernian Insurance Company. He thought the dividend this year was scarcely sufficient, and he suggested that it be increased from 5 per cent. to 7 per cent., less income tax, absorbing £2,250, and leaving £8,208 to be carried forward. He asked if the directors could not do anything to introduce a system of life insurance, and he thought that the company should seek to emancipate the entire insurance business of the country.

Mr. J. C. Clegg proposed, and Mr. George Ryce seconded, an amendment that a cash bonus of 5 per cent. should be paid, in addition to the dividend.

Mr. D. J. Cogan, replying to the discussion on behalf of the directors, said that the company had a large number of small shareholders throughout the country, and it was for that reason the board originally decided to pay a net dividend, because of the difficulty in making a fractional amount of dividend. A net dividend of 5 per cent. worked out in a lump sum. Their income tax was also paid in a lump sum, and was equal to nearly 5 per cent. He urged with regard to dividend that the company should pursue a conservative policy, and should not, therefore, pay any increased dividend this year, while hoping in the near future to double the dividend. They hoped before they were much older to be in a position to do something in the life insurance branch, though he urged caution in the light of the failure of previous Irish industrial insurance enterprises.

The amendments were generally withdrawn, and the resolution was carried unanimously.

On the motion of Mr. P. W. Corrigan, seconded by Mr. James Williams, a dividend was declared at the rate of 5 per cent., free of income tax.

The appointment of Senator Dowdall, Cork, as a director of the company was unanimously confirmed.

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Austrian Sterling Treasury Bills, 7-6½ dis. Bolckow Vaughan 6 p.c. Debs. (fy. pd.), 104½-5½. Booth's Distillery 6 p.c. Debs. (£40 pd.), 3½-2½ dis. Calcutta Improvement Trust 5½ p.c. Debs. (£25½ pd.), £5½ pm. Central Argentine Railway 5 p.c. Notes, 1¼-¾ pm. Dickins and Jones 6 p.c. Deb. Stock (£35 pd.), 1¼-¾ pm. Dorman Long 5½ p.c. Debs. (£45 pd.), 3½-¾ pm. Dunlop Tire America 7 p.c. (£40 pd.), 5½-6 pm. Esparto Paper Mills 6½ p.c. Debs. (£40 pd.), 4-3 dis. Great Eastern Train Ferries (12/6 pd.), 4/-3/- dis. Illingworth Morris 6 p.c. Deb. Stock (£15 pd.), 2-½ pm. Jamaica 4½ p.c. (£34 pd.), 5-½ pm. Kassala Rly. 4½ p.c. Guar. Debs. (fy. pd.), 99-½. Lomas 8 p.c. Pref. (fy. pd.), 9/6-10/6. Midland Counties Electric 6 p.c. Pref. (2/6 pd.), /3 dis-/3 pm. Murray (D. and W.) 7 p.c. Pref. (fy. pd.), 21/-21/6. New South Wales 5 p.c. (fy. pd.), 100½-1½. Nobel Industries 5½ p.c. First Mort. Debs. (£15 pd.), 2½-¾ pm. Pullman Car 7 p.c. Pref. (10/- pd.), par-6 pm. St. Maurice Power 6½ p.c. Deb. Stk. (fy. pd.), 104½-5½. Second Mercantile Trust (6/- pd.), /9-/3 dis. South Australia 5 p.c. (fy. pd.), 100¾-1¼. Stoke-on-Trent 4½ p.c. (fy. pd.), 96½-7½. Sudan Government 4½ p.c. (£53 pd.), 6½-¼ pm. Trinidad Sugar 7½ p.c. Pref. Ord. (fy. pd.), 18/-19/-. Do. Deb., 3/3-3/9. Victoria 5 p.c. Debs. (£79½ pd.), 1½-¾ pm. Walker (John) and Sons 7 p.c. Pref. (7/6 pd.). Do. 6 p.c. Debs. (£29 pd.), ½-¾ pm. Wellington 5½ p.c. Debs. (fy. pd.), 103-4. Yorkshire Electric Ord. (5/- pd.), 1/6-2/6 pm.

GOLF.

HOLLEY'S BRILLIANT GOLF.

CASTLE PROFESSIONAL WINS MORAN CUP.

William Holley, the professional attached to the Castle Club, achieved a remarkable victory on Saturday in the final round of the Michael Moran Memorial Cup. Since he came into prominence in Irish golf Holley has given many first-rate exhibitions, but never has he displayed the same brilliance in the execution of his shots as he did against M. McDermott in Saturday's final. He was irresistible. So much so that the Hermitage man won only one hole of the 26, over which the match extended, that being the third, where he was down in 3 to 5.

Holley secured no assistance from the prevailing conditions; in fact, they were against the golfer, for the wind was heavy, and there were sharp showers. But playing into the wind or with it behind him made no difference to Holley. If there was one feature of his game which was stronger than another it was his approaching and putting, his pitching and his work on the greens being deadly. He finished with a beautiful 3 at the 26th, supplementing a grand drive with a beautiful pitch and run, and holing the putt. That was a typical sample of the golf played by the winner. It was faultless and flawless golf, such as few professionals could have improved on in the final match of three strenuous days' play.

In the morning Holley was out in 36. He won the first two holes. McDermott took the second—which proved to be his solitary success—and then came three more holes for the Castle man, the remaining three being halved. Homeward, McDermott did better, six holes being halved, but at the end of the round Holley held a lead of seven, averaging fours, the approximate figures being:—

HOLLEY.
Out—5 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 4=36
In—3 4 4 3 5 3 5 5 4=36=72.
McDERMOTT.
Out—6 5 3 5 5 5 3 4 4=40
In—4 4 4 4 5 3 5 5 5=39=79

Continuing to play splendid golf, Holley, following two halves at the 19th and 20th, added three more to his total, and at the 23rd the match was practically finished, for he was then leading by 10. The next two were halved, and then came the brilliant 3 at the 26th, where Holley won by 11 and 10. The approximate scores for the eight holes were:—Holley—5 5 3 3 4 4 3 3=30; McDermott—5 5 4 4 5 4 3 4=34.

McDermott played a good up-hill game, and against a less brilliant golfer would have made a fine match of it. He made few mistakes, but he was up against it from start to finish. Even when he did look like winning the 6th on the second round by hitting a grand brassey on to the green, with Holley's second pulled into a bad lie, the local man chipped up to the pin to snatch a half.

The cup and prizes were presented by Lord Glenavy, President of the Club, who complimented the winner and runner-up, and incidentally alluded to the late Michael Moran, whom he described as the best golfer the country had produced and a gallant soldier. Dr. Price, Hon. Secretary of the G.U.I., also spoke, and complimented the club and the officials on the excellent arrangements they had made for the comfort and convenience of the players and visitors.

AMERICANS' FIRST MATCH.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SOCIETY DIVIDE THE HONOURS.

The team of golfers which has been sent to uphold the honours of the United States in the Walker Trophy contest played their first match on Saturday, when they opposed Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society in four-ball matches and foursomes at Rye.

On the fourball matches, which is the American favourite form of golf, the Society led by four to two, but in the foursome matches, the Society's strong point, the Americans won four matches against two, and on the day's play divided the honours. The results of the four-ball matches were:—

E. Holderness and H. Gillies (Oxford and Cambridge Society) lost to Jesse Sweetser and Francis Ouimet (America)—4 and 3.

R. de Montmorency and Cyril Tolley (Society) beat D. Herron and H. Johnston (America)—2 and 1.

Roger Wethered and Bernard Darwin (Society) beat Dr. Willing and Fred Wright (America)—4 and 3.

A. Evans and Landale (Society) beat Max Marston and R. Lewis (America)—2 and 1.

Melling and W. Powell (Society) lost to F. Rotan and J. Neville (America)—4 and 2.

E. Storey and A. Croome (Society) beat J. Byers and Robert Gardner (America)—3 and 2.

The foursomes resulted as follows:—

Montmorency and Tolly lost to Sweetser and Ouimet—3 and 1.

Wethered and Darwin lost to Gardner and Marston—2 up.

Holderness and Evans lost to Herron and Johnston—1 up.

Storey and Landale lost to Willing and Wright—7 and 5.

Mellin and Powell beat Roton and Lewis—2 and 1.

Gillies and Croome beat Neville and Roberts—3 and 2.

HUTCHINSON'S NEW APPOINTMENT.

"Jock" Hutchinson, the British open champion of 1921, has been appointed head professional to the new Coldstream Club, Long Island. His salary is stated to be the largest on record. Although Hutchinson's contract with the Glenview Club, Chicago, does not terminate until next year, the club will not stand in the way of his financial betterment.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

LUCAN.—(Ladies' Branch)—May 2nd—Semi-open ladies' Scotch foursomes, 18 holes v. bogey. Prizes presented by Dr. and Miss O'Connor. Draws at 11, 2, and 3 o'clock. The Dodsboro' Cup was won by Mrs. Meservy, who beat Mrs. John in the final.

ROSSLARE.—Prize presented by Rev. Joseph Deery—W. Ffrench (18), 77; M. Kearney (10), 77; J. B. Pettigrew (6), 80.

ISLAND.—Challenge cup draw—Bye, Mrs. Mitchell; Miss Thornhill v. Miss Daly; Miss D. Phelps v. Mrs. FitzGibbon; Miss Lane Joynt v. Mrs. Jameson; Mrs. Crosbie v. Miss Barrington; Mrs. E. J. Watson v. Miss Moore. Byes—Miss A. G. Story v. Mrs. Phelps.

RATHFARNHAM.—(Ladies' Branch)—May 1st—Foursomes, 18 holes bogey; arrange partners. Draw 10.45 for opponents. May 4th—Semi-open fourballs; arrange partners and opponents; 18 holes, bogey. Result of competition for prizes presented by Miss A. McCaw.—Class I.—Mrs. Joze (23), 87; Mrs. B. Roche (23), 92. Class II.—Miss K. Hatchen (26), 95; Miss W. Drury (27), 103.

ATHLETICS.

HORAN CUP RACE.

The Clonliffe Harriers' handicap for the Horan Cup on Saturday produced one of the best bits of handicapping for which Mr. T. Burton, the moving spirit of the club, has been responsible. It is not easy to bring together a big field in a six miles race, when some of the competitors require twelve and a half minutes' start from the scratchman; but on Saturday Mr. Burton succeeded in getting home the first five men inside sixty seconds and the first dozen within two minutes. He was heartily congratulated on his good work, particularly as the race was won in the exact time he set the scratchman to do.

Bingham figured on scratch; but, without the same inducement to extend himself to the full as in the ten-mile championship, he did not do quite so well. He ran into first place in the handicap, thus beating nineteen of his twenty-three competitors, and covered the six miles in 35 minutes 24 seconds. The winner of the race was J. J. Gorry, a veteran, who has a son running in the event. Gorry needed all the start he received, as he was only able to get home by the narrow margin of 11 seconds from C. F. Rothwell, who, despite a substantial penalty for his win in the Grand "National" handicap a fortnight ago, ran into second place. Of the twenty-four runners sixteen persevered to the finish, and were placed as below. Result:—

J. J. Gorry (12m. 30s.)	1
C. E. Rothwell (2m. 30s.)	2
F. J. Duffy (6m.)	3
J. Ryan (5m. 30s.)	4
B. H. Bingham (scr.)	5
W. E. O'Hara (7m. 30s.)	6
J. A. Gorry (3m. 30s.)	7
P. J. Howlin (9m.)	8
T. Gibney (4m. 30s.)	9
J. Peelo (1m. 30s.)	10
P. Murray (9m.)	11
J. P. Cusack (6m. 30s.)	12
T. Kelly (5m. 30s.)	13
C. Byrne (5m.)	14
G. Ryan (8m.)	15
C. P. Kenna (5m.)	16

The Doran Cup, which will be the concluding event of the Clonliffe season, will be decided on Saturday next.

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS OPENING RACE.

The vice-president of the club, Mr. G. A. Newsom, started the season well on Saturday by winning the first race in quite hollow style. It was in the fitness of things, however, that one of the older members should do well in this match, indeed, much of the interest in the race lay in the early glimpse of the "form" of helmsmen which it provided. One missed Tomboy III., with Mr. R. Donnelly at the tiller, but otherwise the five starters were really representative of the true racing strength of the Wag fleet.

Three of these were well watched, Phyllis, because of the fine display she gave; Coquette, because of the standard she provided; and Pansy, because it was the young hon. sec.'s first race in the boat he has purchased from Mr. J. H. Hargrave. After rounding the first buoy, Phyllis, with her owner at the tiller, made a winning one. Coquette began and finished well; but Pansy lost heavily on the beat the first time, and thereafter never to get as good a breeze as the others.

The breeze was fairly fresh and puffy out of the westward when they were sent away over the port course at 4 o'clock, Blue Bird holding a slight lead of Coquette, Phyllis, Barbara and Pansy, as they went down-wind in a good start. All except Blue Bird, on which boat a lady was "crew," set spinnaker, and Coquette established a lead early. When she jibbed and crossed the others to fetch the jetty buoy her lead seemed assured, but Phyllis, which had laid the mark direct, was the first to round it. Thereafter, and particularly on the windward work, Phyllis never gave the others a look in. Nearest her always was Coquette, but was 70 secs. behind at the end of the first, and 1½ mins. at the end of the second round. Coquette reduced this lead remarkably on the last round, indeed, she caught up a better wind on the finishing stretch, but Phyllis even then was an easy winner.

(FINISH.)

	H.	M.	S.
Phyllis (winner), Mr. G. A. Newsom	4	41	10
Coquette (2nd prize), Mr. G. H. Jones	4	41	45
Barbara, Dr. J. T. Wigham	4	43	6
Blue Bird, Dr. G. P. Meldon	4	45	20
Pansy, Mr. J. H. Stephens	4	53	48

Mr. H. R. Newland was officer of the day.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Governors of the Masonic Female Orphan School will be held at the schoolhouse, Ballsbridge, to-morrow morning at 9. Breakfast

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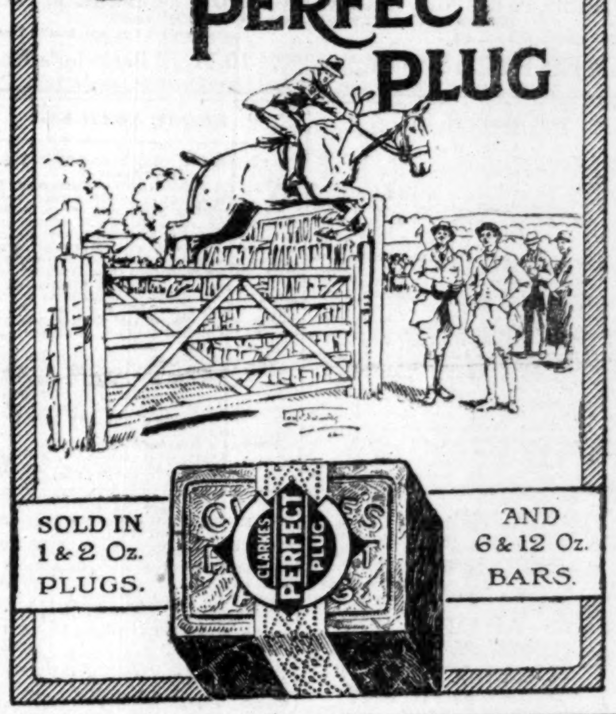

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LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

Eight steamers landed cattle, sheep, sheep and lamb carcases, pork, and fresh beef at Liverpool during the past week from the various North and South American and Colonial ports. The vessels, with their freights, were as follow:—The Pardo, from Rio Gallegos, with 111,216 sheep and lamb carcases; the West Arron, from Boston, with 28,413 sheep and lamb carcases and 1,444 qrs. of beef; the Montrose, from St. John, with 1,000 boxes of pork; the Barrymore, from Newport News, with 193 cattle; the Arkadia, from New York, with 3,160 boxes of pork and 1,070 boxes of meat; the Descado, from Buenos Ayres, with 14,475 sheep and lamb carcases, 5,210 boxes of meat, and 37,437 qrs. of beef; and the Michigan, from Portland Me., with 459 cattle and 1,803 sheep, making a total of 1,069 cattle, 1,803 sheep, 154,203 sheep and lamb carcases, 4,160 boxes of pork, 6,271 boxes of meat, and 38,981 qrs. of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 362 cattle, 601 sheep, and a decrease of 1,549 sheep and lamb carcases, 5,299 boxes of pork, 18,737 boxes of meat, and 21,750 qrs. of beef.

TENNIS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINAL.

As the result of the semi-final round in the Amateur Championship at Queen's Club, London, on Saturday, V. H. Pennell and E. A. C. Druce meet in the final to-day for the right to challenge the holder, E. M. Baerlein, for the title. They were both keen matches, remarkable for much clever tennis all round. Results:—V. H. Pennell (Queen's) beat W. Renshaw (Manchester)—3 sets to 2—3-6, 6-3, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1; E. A. C. Druce (Queen's) beat Hon. C. N. Bruce (Queen's)—3 sets to 2—6-5, 6-5, 1-6, 5-6, 6-3.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

The following is a full record of the business done on the Dublin and Belfast Stock Exchanges last week in each department, except Consols and War Loans. The day on which the business was done is indicated by the initial letter in parentheses, and dealings in odd lots are marked by an asterisk:—

DUBLIN.

Guaranteed Land—62½ (F.).
2¾ p.c. Land Stock—*62½ (T.), 63½ (F.).
3 p.c. Land Stock—68⅞ (T.), 68 7/16 (Th.).
Dublin Stock—*72c. (Th.).
Bank of Ireland—238c. (T.), *240c. (Th.), *242c. (F.).
Hibernian Bank—7¼ (T.), 7¼ (Th.), *7⅜ ¼ (F.).
Munster and Leinster Bank—7⅜ ¼ (T.), 7¼ (W.), 7⅜ (Th.), 8 (F.).
National Bank—19¾ (M.), 20 (T.), 20½ (W.), 21 1¼ (Th.), 21 1½ (F.).
Provincial Bank—23 (T.).
Ballinrobe and Claremorris—*60/- (F.).
Dublin S.E. Ord.—20 (M.), 20 (T.), 20 (W.), 20 (Th.).
Dublin S.E. Pref.—*43 (Th.).
Dublin S.E. Guar.—59½ (T.), 59½ (W.), 62a. (F.).
Dublin S.E. "A" Deb.—62 (W.), 62b. 64a. (F.).
Dublin S.E. "B" Deb.—61 (W.), 61 (Th.).
Great Northern Ord.—*64½ (M.), 66 *7 (T.), 67½ ½ (W.), 68 (Th.), 67½ (F.).
Great Northern Pref.—63b. (F.).
Great Northern Guar.—70 (F.).
Great Northern Deb.—*80 (M.), 79 (W.), 80a. (F.).
Great Southern Ord.—51 (M.), 51 (T.), 52 (W.), 51½ 1 *1 (Th.), 50 49½ (F.).
Great Southern Pref.—60 (M.), 59½ (T.), 59½ (W.), *57½ (F.).
Great Southern Guar.—64 5 (W.), 66 (Th.).
Great Southern Deb.—72½ (T.), 72½ (Th.), 73½ (F.).
London North-Eastern Def.—37½ (Th.).
London Mid. and Scottish—117 (Th.).
Midland G.W. Ord.—36 *5 (M.), 34 (T.), 32½ (W.), 33 (Th.), 33½ (F.).
Midland G.W. 5 p.c. Pref.—65 (M.), 65 6 (T.), 66 (W.), 67 (Th.).
Midland G.W. 4 p.c. Pref—*47 (T.), 50b. (F.).
Midland G.W. Guar.—*56 (Th.).
Midland G.W. 4½ p.c. Deb.—72 (T.), 72 (Th.).
West Clare—87/6 (F.).

Anglo-Argentine Tram 4½ p.c. Deb.—77⅛ (F.).
Alliance Gas—6¼b. (M.), 6⅜ (T.).
Alliance Gas Deb.—65 (W.), 67 (F.).
Arnott Ord.—*5 (Th.).
Arnott Pref.—77/6 (W.).
Associated Cement Ord.—24/9 (F.).
Bolands—*40/- (M.).
Bleachers—50/3 (M.), 50/6 (T.), 50/- 50/3 (Th.), 50/3 (F.).
British Col. Elec. Rail. 5 p.c. Pref.—87½ (T.).
Bradford Dyers—60/- (M.), 59/6 (T.), 59/9 (Th.), 59/6 9/- (F.).
British-Amer. Tobacco—95/- (M.), 94/3 (T.), 95/- 5/3 (W.), 95/3 4/10½ (Th.), 94/9 5/- (F.).
British-Amer. Tobacco Pref.—20/4½ (W.), 20/1½a. (F.).
Burke Ord.—63/9 (Th.).
Burke Pref.—67/6 (T.), 67/6b. 70/-a. (Th.), *70/- (F.).
Burke Deb.—7½ (T.), 7½ (F.).
British Controlled Oil Pref.—12/6 (M.).
City of Dublin Steam Ord.—136½ (F.).
City of Dublin Steam Pref.—*101½ (M.).
Calicos—27/- (W.), 26/9 (Th.), 26/9 6/3 (F.).
Coats—68/9 9/- (M.), 69/6 9/9 (T.), 69/6 (W.), 69/3 9/1½ *9/- (Th.), 69/6 (F.).
Coats "B" Pref.—25/- (W.), *25/- (Th.), 25/6 (F.).
Courtaulds—74/- (M.), 72/9 (T.), 73/6 3/3 3/6 (W.), 73/- 3/3 (Th.), 72/9 (F.).
Crowe Wilson Ord.—20/- (T.), 20/- (W.).
Dublin Distillers Ord.—29/6 (M.), 29/6 (T.).
Dublin Distillers Pref.—80/- (T.), 79/6 (W.), *77/6 (Th.), *79/- (F.).
Dublin Trams—7½ (W.), 7½b. 7⅜a. (Th.), 7⅜ (F.).
Dublin Trams Pref.—10b. (M.), 10¼ ½ (T.), *10½ (W.), 10½ (F.).
Dublin Trams "B" Deb.—67 (F.).
Dunlop French Incomes—16/- (W.).
Dunlops—9/7½ 9/9 (T.), 9/6 9/7½ (W.), 9/9 *9/7½ 9/9 (Th.), 9/9 9/10½ (F.).
Fine Spinners—52/6 (M.), 51/6 1/- (T.), 51/6, 1/9 (W.), 51/6 *1/9 (Th.), 51/9 2/6 *3/- (F.).
Fine Spinners Pref.—19/10½ (F.).
Findlater Pref.—52/-a. (F.).
Foster (M. B.) and Sons—28/3 (Th.), 27/9 (F.).
Guinness—51 3 2 1¼ 2 1½ 2 1¾ ½ 2 2½ ¼ ¼ (M.), 52 ¼ ½ 2 ¼ 1¾ ½ 2 1½ 1 ¼ ½ ¼ (T.), 50½ ¼ ¼ ½ 50 49¾ ⅞ (W.), 50 49 15/16 50 49⅞ ⅞ (Th.), 50½ ⅛ ½ ¼ ⅛ ⅛ ¼ ⅛ (F.).
Guinness Pref.—12¼ (M.), 12 1/16 (T.), 12⅛ ¼ (W.), 12⅛ 1/16 (Th.), 12¼ (F.).
Grand Canal Ord.—56/- (W.).
Grand Canal Pref.—*70/- (M.).
Grand Canal Deb.—55 (Th.).
Goulding Ord.—88/- (Th.).
Hayes Conyngham Debs.—*60/- (W.).
Hibernian Fire—3/9 (M.), 4/- (Th.), *4 (F.).
Harrod's Ord.—27/9 (T.).
Irish Times 5½ p.c.—60/- (F.).
Irish Times 6½ p.c.—*13/- (F.).
Imperial Tobacco—86/9 6/6 6/9 (M.), 86/- 5/9 6/4½ 6/6 7/- 6/10½ 7/7½ 7/6 7/3 (T.), 87/7½ 7/6 7/7½ 7/6 7/7½ 7/9 7/7½ (W.), 87/9 7/7½ 7/6 7/7½ (Th.), 87/- 7/1½ 7/3 7/6 (F.).
Imperial Tobacco, Canada—26/9 (M.), 26/3 (T.), 26/4½ (W.), 26/9 (Th.), 26/9 (F.).
Johnston Mooney Ord.—77/6 (Th.), 77/6 (F.).
Lever 7 p.c.—23/- (M.), 23/- (T.), 23/3 3/- (W.), 23/3 (Th.), 23/- (F.).
Lever 8 p.c.—21/9 (M.), 21/7½ 1/9 (T.), *21/9 (W.), 21/7½b. 21/9a. (Th.), 21/9 (F.).
Lister and Co. Ord.—31/9 (Th.).
Marconi—52/- (M.), 50/6 49/- 9/6 (T.), 48/9 (W.), 47/10½ (Th.).
Mexican Eagle—37/9 (M.), 37/6 (T.), 38/- 8/3 (F.)
Power Pref.—20/- (M.), 20/- (T.), 20/- (W.), 19/10½ (Th.), 20/- (F.).
Parent Tyre Ord.—15/10½ (Th.).
Parent Tyre Def.—25/- (M.), 25/3 (T.), 26/3 (W.).
Parent Tyre Pref.—14/6 (T.), 14/6 (W.), 14/6 (Th.), 14/3 (F.).
Pim Ord.—76/3 (W.).
Pim Deb.—*60 (T.).
Platt Bros. Ord.—43/9 (F.).
Radio Corp. Common—16/- (T.), 16/6 (W.), 16/3 (F.).
Radio Corp. Pref.—15/- (M.), 15/6 (T.), 15/3 (F.).
Sewing Cotton—50/3 (M.), 50/3 50/- (T.), 50/3 50/6 (F.).
South City Market Deb.—65 (T.).
Smyth and Co. Ord.—22/- (T.).
Shells—84/9 (T.), 85/- (W.), *85/6 (Th.), *84/6 (F.).
Todd Burns Ord.—17/9 (W.), 18/- (Th.).
Todd Burns Deb.—70/- (F.).
Thom (Alex.) Ord—20/-b. (F.).
Thom (Alex.) Pref.—55/-b. (Th.), 55/- (F.).
Vickers—15/7½ (Th.), 15/7½ (F.).
Vickers Tax Free Pref.—17/10½ (F.).
Walpole Pref.—65/-b. (F.).
White Tomkins—25/6 (T.), 26/6 (F.).
Walker (John) 7 p.c. Pref.—9d. 7½d. prem. (T.).
c.—Cash; b.—Bid; a.—Asked.

BELFAST.

Belfast Corporation 6½ p.c. Mortgages—107 (M.), 107 (T.).
Belfast Corporation 5 p.c., 1945—98½ (T.).
Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1935—84 (F.).
London City and Midland—8 11/16 (T.), 8¾ (W.), 8¾ (Th.).
Midland Great Western Railway Ord.—36 (M.).
Northern Banking Co. A—5⅞ (M.), 5 11/16 5⅞ (T.), 5⅞ (W.).
Northern Banking Co. B—2 13/16 (M.), 2⅞ (T.).
Provincial Bank—22½b. (F.).
Westminster Bank—18 11/16 (M.), 18⅝ (T.), 18½ (W.), 18½ (F.).
Belfast and Co. Down Railway 4 p.c. Pref.—79 (F.).
Great Northern Railway Stock—62 (M.), 64½ (T.), 67½ 67½ (W.), 67½ (Th.), 68 (F.).
Great Northern Railway 4 p.c. Deb.—80½ (M.), 79 (Th.).
Great Southern and Western Railway Original—51½ (M.).

Arnott and Co.—35/- (F.).
Belfast Ropeworks Co.—39 (T.).
Bleachers' Association—50/10½ (M.).
British-American Tobacco Co. Ord.—95/- (M.), 95/- 95/6 (W.), 95/- 95/6 (Th.), 95/- (F.).
British-American Tobacco Co. Bearer—95/3 (M.), 95/6 (Th.).
British Cotton and Wool Dyers—13/6 (T.).
Brunner Mond—44/3 (Th.).
Coats Ord.—67/9 (M.), 69/3 69/4½ (W.), 69/3 (Th.)
Cowan (Wm.) Ord.—4½ (M.), 4½ (T.).
Cuthbert (W. M.) and Co. Ord.—20/3 (M.), 20/6 (T.).
Dunlop Rubber—9/7½ (M.), 9/6 (Th.).
Distillers Co.—21½ (T.).
Dunville and Co.—13½a. (F.).
Fairbairn, Lawson Combe, Barbour Ord.—27/6 (M.), 27/6 (T.), 27/- (W.), 27/- (F.).
Gas, Light, and Coke—100 (F.).
Guinness—50 9/16 (W.), 50 (Th.).
Hughes Bernard Ord.—30/- (Th.).
Imperial Tobacco—88/6 88/3 87/9 (W.), 88/- (Th.), 87/9 87/6 87/9 (F.).
Irish Distillery 6 p.c. Pref.—8½ (F.).
Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref.—22/9 (M.), 22/9 (T.), 23/3 (Th.), 23/3 (F.).
Lever Bros. 8 p.c. A Pref.—21/7½ (M.), 21/10½ (W.), 21/8½ (Th.), 21/8½ 21/9 (F.).
Maypole Deferred—37/9 (W.).
Mexican Eagles—38/6 (Th.).
Old Bushmills Distillery Ord.—42/6 (M.).
Parent Tyre Co. Deferred—27/7½ (W.), 28/- (Th.).
Platt Bros.—43/6 (Th.).
Robertson, Ledlie, and Ferguson—7½ (Th.), 7½ (F.).
Sawers 5 p.c. Pref.—15/- (M.).
Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.—21/6, 21/7½ (F.).
Vickers Ord.—16/- (T.), 16/- (W.).
White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord.—26/3 (Th.), 26/- (F.).
Workman Clark and Co. Deb.—89 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. Ord.—31 (T.), 32 (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref.—22/6 (W.), 23/- (F.).
York St. Flax Spinning Co. 4½ p.c. Deb.—88 (F.).
a—Asked; b—Bid.

TRAFFICS.

Paraguay Central Railway—Week to April 21st, £2,720, increase £50. Grand Trunk Railway of Canada—Week to April 21st, £538,969, increase £227,613. Lancashire United Tramways—Week to April 24th, £2,822, decrease £193. Chatham and District Light Railways—Week to April 19th, £1,436, decrease £451.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

ABUNDANT CREDIT SUPPLIES.

Quite a large turnover in funds occurred in Lombard street, but the disturbance was only light, and, as a rule, borrowers were able to cover their requirements of day-to-day money at 1½ p.c. Surplus balances were obtainable down to 1 p.c. in fair quantities. Fixtures were renewed at 1½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 13, 1922, 3%.

60 days (fine)	1¾	1⅞%			
3 months „	1⅞	2 %	Trade	3	3¼%
4 months „	1⅞	2 %	„	3	3¼%
6 months „	2⅛	2¼%	„	3¼	3½%
Loans to brokers day-to-day				1¼	1¾%
„ for a week					1½%
Deposit allowance Banks at call				1	%
„ Discount houses, at call				1	%
„ at notice					1¼%

The receivership for Dent and Palmer and Co. passed practically unnoticed. In the old days their endorsements were well known and considered highly, but few, if any, have been seen of recent years.

The tap rate for supplementary Treasury bills was raised to 1⅝ p.c. from 1 9/16 p.c., and with apprehension concerning the money outlook. Discounts were firm, fine three months' bank bills being 1 15/16-2 p.c., while the new Treasuries were being offered, business being on the basis of 1 15/16 "to over," and May and June paper, in which the banks were not working, were quoted 1⅞ p.c.

Silver rose 1/16d. on Indian and China buying, bars being 32 11/16d. per ounce for spot and 32 11/16d. for forward delivery.

The effect of the Indian banking difficulties, long expected, on the rupee was negligible. There was a slight demand, with business on the basis of 1s. 4 1/16d.-1s. 4⅛d. Otherwise in the market for foreign exchange sterling was steadier at $4.63 1/16, and francs showed little variation at 68.15, Belgian francs being 79.05 and Italian lires 94⅛. German marks, however, were weaker again at 137,500 to the £, while Austrian crowns improved a little to 325,000. The following are closing quotations:—

—	April 28.		April 27.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½d
Amsterdam	11.85½	11.86	11.84½	11.85	12.10
B. Ayres	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	47.58
Barcelona	30.30	30.32	30.30	30.32	25.22
Berlin	136,000	139,000	134,000	137,000	20.40
Bombay	1/4 1/16	1/4⅛	1/4 1/16	1/4 1/32	1/4⅛
Brussels	79.05	79.15	79.00	79.10	25/22½
Calcutta	1/4 1/16	1/4⅛	1/4 1/16	1/4 1/32	1/4
Christiania	26.52	26.57	26.60	26.70	18 15
Copenhagen	24.68	24.72	24.65	24.75	18.15
Czecho-Slov	155¾	156¾	155½	156½	—
Finland	166¾	167¾	166½	167½	25.22½
Greece	390	400	390	400	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/3⅞	2/4⅛	2/3⅞	2/4⅛	†
Hungary	21,000	23,000	21,000	23,000	—
Italy	94	94¼	93¾	94¼	25.22½
Lisbon	2¼	2⅝	2⅛	2⅝	53½d.
Madrid	30.31	30.33	30.30	30.35	25.22½
Mexico	25d		25d		24½d.
Montreal	4.72½	4.73	4.71	4.72	4.86
Montevideo	42½	43	42¾	43¼	51d.
New York	4.63⅛	4.63 3/16	4.62¾	4.63¼	4.86
Paris	68.15	68.25	68.20	68.30	25.22
Poland	210,000	220,000	310,000	320,000	—
RiodeJan	5⅜	5½	5⅜	5½	16d.
Roumania	960	1,000	920	1,000	—
Shanghai	3/2	3/3	3/2	3/3	†
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4½
Stockholm	17.30	17.33	17.27	17.32	18.15
Switzerland	25.52	25.55	25.46	25.52	25.22
Valparaiso	37.10		37.40		13.33
Vienna	320,000	330,000	320,000	340,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅜	2/1 7/16	2/1⅜	2/1 7/16	24.5

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 137,500.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ROBERTSON, LEDLIE, FERGUSON AND CO.—In a circular letter to the shareholders the directors of Messrs. Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson and Co., Ltd., say:—We are pleased to inform you that the amount of compensation for the damage done at the Cork depôt has now been definitely settled, and the company have already received a payment on account. Negotiations with the Revenue are proceeding, and it is expected that the amount to which the company is entitled by way of refund excess profits duty will be determined at an early date. We may add we have already received a substantial sum on account. In the above circumstances it is proposed to convene a meeting of the shareholders in September next, at which trading accounts for the lapsed period and up to the 31st July, 1923, will be submitted, and the directors have to express their deep regret that this was not possible sooner. It was felt, however, that it would serve no useful purpose to call the shareholders together unless we were in a position to submit audited accounts to them. The directors entertain the hope that with normal conditions prevailing, and the anticipated improvement in business, the payment of dividends on both classes of shares may be resumed at an early date, and in the meantime they have declared one year's dividend to 31st January, 1923, on the Preference Shares.

DARJEELING.—Dividend of 10 per cent. (actual), less tax.

KELLNER-PARTINGTON PAPER PULP.—Dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax, for year.

LANCASHIRE WAGGON.—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary shares.

KIMANIS RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent. for year.

BANK OF MONTREAL.—Dividend of 3 per cent. for quarter.

ARMY AND NAVY CO-OP.—Further dividend of 1/- per share.

BUKIT SEMBAWANG RUBBER.—Dividend of 3 per cent. less tax; forward, £25,902.

MUTUAL PROPERTY INSURANCE.—Dividend at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

DANGAN RUBBER.—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Preference shares for the fourteen months ended December 31, 1922.

BRITISH THOMSON-HOUSTON.—It is proposed to maintain the Ordinary dividend at 6 per cent. (tax free).

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE.—Dividend for 1922 of 13s. per share, less tax.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE AND GENERAL INSURANCE.—Dividend of 2/- a share, 10 per cent., free of tax; forward £109,251.

WILSONS AND CLYDE COAL.—Final dividends at rate of 7 per cent. per annum on Preference shares and of 2/- per share on Ordinary shares, both less tax.

ARGENTINE TRAMWAYS AND POWER.—Final dividend of 7 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the Preference shares, leaving £832 to be carried forward.

JAMES DUNLOP.—Accounts for 1922 show a loss of £27,432, to which must be added the Preference dividend, making an adverse balance of £46,931. Deducting the credit balance of £16,727 brought in leaves a debit balance of £30,204, against which the directors have transferred £40,000 from reserve, giving a credit balance of £9,795, which they propose to carry forward.

BIRMINGHAM MOTOR SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing prices:—Alldays and Onions, 6d.; Austin Ord., 2/6; do. B Pref., 2/10½; do. Prefd. 10 p.c., 1/6; Belsize Motor, 4/3; Birmingham Small Arms, 12/7½; Bluemel Bros., 9/6; Bowden Brake, 13/6; Bretts Stamping, 18/-; Brolt, 6/-; Brooks (J. B.), 35/6; Calcott Bros., 63/-; Calthorpe Invest., 12/6; Charron Motor, 3/3; Components, 6/6; Coventry Chain, 17/6; Crossley Motors, 8/3; Dennis Bros., 34/6; Enfield Cycle, 23/9; Fodens, 29/6; Guy Motors, 3/-; Halford Cycle, 49/6; Halley's Motor, 9/6; Harper Bean, 1/9; Hughes Johnson, 25/3; Humber, 25/6; do. Pref., 18/-; James Cycle, 15/9; Leyland Motor, 2/9; Leyland Rubber, 22/7½; Lucas (Jos.), 39/; Mandslay, 6/6; Napier Ord., 7/-; do. Pref., 15/; New Hudson, 16/3; Riley (Coventry), 7/3; Rolls Royce, 30/-; Rovers, 22/4½; Rudge-Whitworth, 18/9; do. Pref., 3½; S.T.D. Motors, 8/7½; do Pref., 12/-; Singer and Co., 24/-; Smith (S.) and Sons, 3/9; Smith's Stamping, 24/6; Standard Motor, 40/-; Star Engineering, 3/3; Stepney Spare Wheel, 29/6; Stevens (A. J.), 24/6; Straker Squire, 1/3; Swift, 11/9; do. Pref., 14/-; Triumph, 37/; Vandervell (C A.) and Co. Prefd., 3/3; Vauxhall Motor, 8/7½; Vulcan Motor, 3/6; Wolseley Motor Pref., 8/-; Wrigley (E. G.), 4/6; Dunlop Rubber, 9/7½; do. A Pref., 17/6; do. B Pref., 16/-; Parent Tyre Ord., 16/6; do. Pref., 14/3; do. Deferred, 27/6; Tyre Investment, 9/6.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

In view of the requirements of capital for the new sinkings proposed to be undertaken, and in view also of the fact that certain moneys reserved by subsidiary companies for contingencies are no longer required for these purposes, it has been decided to add these reserves to the reserve of the Tredegar Company, and to recommend to the shareholders to capitalise the whole. The directors propose to issue two new shares of £1 each, fully-paid, for every £5 of capital held in the company. Dividend for the year ended March 31st, 1923, 12½ per cent., free of tax, on A and B shares.

The directors of Sir Titus Salt, Bart., and Co., Ltd., spinners and manufacturers, Saltaire Mills, Saltaire, have issued a statement that negotiations are in progress for converting the company into a public undertaking by an offer of capital which, it is stated, does not imply any alteration in the policy of the company, and it may be anticipated that the present directors will continue to be actively associated. The business of Sir Titus Salt was formed into a private company in 1881, and the whole of the authorised capital of £1,500,000 is held by the directors and their families.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DONCASTER, Saturday.—An unusually heavy supply of cattle, chiefly stores, for which there was steady inquiry. No change in prices. Milk beasts easier, making up to £40 for best. Bullocks ranged from £20 to £26, heifers £16 to £24, stores £10 to £12, sheep 85/- to 90/. Slow trade in pigs; sucking cheaper.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Saturday.—WHEAT—Cargo market steady, but quiet; No. 1 Northern Manitoba afloat sellers 52/6, Pacific August-September 50/6, Australian afloat 53/-, Rosafe (62½ lbs.) April-May 50/-, choice white Karachi afloat 52/-, May-June 50/3. Parcels quiet, and tendency easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba April-May sold at 49/4½, May-June 48/9, Australian early May 52/6, Karachi May-June 49/-, Rosafe (62½lbs.) April-May 48/9 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes quiet; Plate steamers 10th May loading 39/-, end May 38/-, May-June 37/-, July 36/9. Parcels steady; Plate April-May sold at 37/1½, May-June 35/7½ to 35/9, No. 6 yellow African July-August sellers 34/6, August-September 34/3, No. 3 mixed American April 15th-May 36/9 per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet; cargoes of Persian September-October sellers 24/-, Dan.-Bess.-Kas. April-May 28/6 per 400lbs. Parcels unaltered. OATS steady; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 24/6, April-May and May-June 23/9, No. 2 Canadian feed 25/4½ per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—WHEAT—The decline in America, which was partly attributed to more favourable crop, and weather reports, and increased shipments from the Atlantic seaboard given by "Bradstreet's" for past week, had an adverse influence on speculative positions of wheat here to-day. Offerings were made more freely, and prices gave way to a liberal extent, specially for distant positions, which, however, finished slightly over the worst point. C.i.f. parcels of wheat failed to attract attention; No. 1 Manitoba afloat offered at 50/-, April-May 49/4½, Rosario-Santa Fe (62½lbs.) loading 49/3, and Baril, same weight and position, 48/6 per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE American mixed afloat sold at 37/3, and River Plate May-June quoted 36/- per qr. Wheat on the spot was quiet, and prices favoured buyers. Maize—Spot parcels scarce, with offerings made sparingly at higher prices. American mixed quoted 8/3½ to 8/4½, and River Plate 8/7 to 8/8 per cental. FLOUR firmly held at the recent advance. Graded red wheat futures opened ½d. to ⅝d. per cental lower, and further gave way ¼d. to ⅜d., then recovered somewhat, but the market closed quiet, with May ½d., July ⅜d., and October 1d. under last night. Sales—50 loads at 10/5¼, 10/5½, and 10/5¼ for May, 10/1¼, 10/0¾, 10/1¼, 10/1. July, and 9/10½ for October delivery. Closing values—May 10/5¼, July 10/1, October 9/- per cental. Maize options nominal. Imports of Grain (cwts.)—To-day—Flour, 1,242. This week—Wheat, 443,272; flour, 10,375; maize, 128,335; peas, 390; beans, 9,800. This year—Wheat, 6,410,420; flour, 205,372; maize, 2,323,071; peas, 111,250; beans, 114,134. Last year—Wheat, 6,484,072; flour, 347,992; maize, 3,166,693; peas, 77,825; beans, 24,161.

NEWCASTLE, Saturday.—Prices tending higher; foreign wheat 10/9 to 11/3, English 9/3 to 10/. Barley 7/6 to 8/5. American maize 8/4. Plate 8/9. Scotch oats 10/9 to 11/2; foreign 9/2 to 10/6; boxings 8/3, bran 7/9, broad bran 9/3 per cwt. Flour 40/- to 43/- per sack.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—IRISH BACON in small supply at 118/- to 128/- per cwt., but little wanted. Danish continues to be freely offered at late rates. Canadian Wiltshires quietly steady. American selections of bacon here again rule quiet, live hogs at Chicago being dearer, and speculative products somewhat irregular, with practically no arrivals at this port. Holders still display anxiety to reduce stocks, and buyers have the advantage in matter of price, though no quotable change is made in value of any description. HAMS quiet, with only a moderate inquiry at about late rates. Shoulders quiet, with picnics only attracting some little attention. LARD on the spot rules quietly steady at unchanged prices for both prime steam and American refined. CHEESE rather more sought after at 95/- to 98/- for States, 98/- to 100/- white New Zealand, 100/- to 102/- coloured, and 100/- to 102/- per cwt. for Canadian. BUTTER steady, with a fair demand at late rates for most descriptions. EGGS in moderate request, and steady at 11/- to 11/-, per 120 for both Irish hen and duck. Imports of provisions:—To-day—Bacon, 85; hams, 55; lard, 500. This week—Bacon, 6,642; hams, 3,750; lard, 17,347; pork, 37; cheese, 6,376; beef, 10; butter, 1,254. This year—Bacon, 153,635; hams, 61,476; lard, 359,477; pork, 4,111; cheese, 102,050; beef, 1,351; butter, 64,430; last year—Bacon, 135,815; hams, 52,744; lard, 322,800; pork, 2,293; cheese, 79,695; beef, 2,730; butter, 43,110.

REFINED LARD FUTURES.—Liverpool, Saturday.—Chicago finished worse than expected, and little business was done here, prices showing no material change from last night. May sold at 62/-, July 62/9, and September quoted 63/3 to 63/6 per cwt.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Saturday.—A fair market; large supply of cabbage; demand opened well, but finished up badly. Prices—York cabbage 10/- to 40/- per load, cauliflowers 6/3, 6/6 to 7/- per dozen, swede turnips 2/- to 3/- per cwt., rhubarb 3/-, 5/3 and 8/6 per bundle, lettuce 1/1 to 1/8 per dozen, celery 8d. to 10d. per bundle, thyme 4d. to 1/- per tray, scallions 4d. to 8d. per bundle.

CORK BUTTER, Saturday.—The tone of the market is weak, and wholesalers anticipating further early reductions are moving cautiously. Creameries 135/- to 145/- per cwt., choicest mild cured 145/-, special dairies extra, farmers' fresh consignments 139/.

DUBLIN FISH, Saturday.—Fish in small quantity, which readily sold—viz., 35 packages salmon, 4 chests lobsters, and a trifle of fish from country boats. Prices ran as follow:—Salmon 2/3 to 2/6 per lb., large lobsters 20/- to 25/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, smalls 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 13, large soles 20/- to 40/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, and slips 5/- to 7/6 per 9 pairs; turbot 6d. to 12/6 each, brill 6d. to 5/- each; plaice per 4, 6/- to 8/- for large, and ditto medium per 8, 6/- to 8/-; plaice per half box 40/- to 60/-, ray 15/- to 25/.

GRIMSBY FISH, Saturday.—Thirty-one North Sea, 1 Iceland, 3 Faroe trawlers, and 1 liner landed poor supply. Demand moderate. Plaice 13/-, lemon soles 16/-, halibut 9/- to 12/-, cod 5/6, skate 6/- to 7/6, small haddocks 4/6, kit 7/-, gibbed 8/6, dabs 0/- to 10/-, codlings 6/- per stone, soles 1/11, turbot 11d., brill 1/1 per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Saturday.—Supply fair; demand moderate. Salmon 29d. to 34d., soles 16d. to 22d., slips 18d. to 24d. per lb.; live eels 22/- to 38/-, dead 20/- to 32/- per draught; turbot, also brill, 10/- to 11/-, plaice 7/- to 10/-, halibut 8/- to 11/-, lemon soles 8/- to 12/-, whitches 5/- to 8/-, cod 4/- to 5/6, hake 7/-, gurnet 3/- to 4/-, bream 2/-, haddocks 4/- to 7/- per stone.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Saturday.—Beef—Scotch long 6/8 to 7/-, short 7/4 to 8/-, English 6/- to 6/8, Argentine chilled hind 4/10; mutton, wethers, Scotch 9/8 to 10/4, English 9/- to 10/-; ewes, Scotch and English 5/4 to 6/-, frozen 3/8 to 5/2; lamb, English 11/4 to 12/8. Trade quiet retail and prices unaltered.

SPITALFIELDS POTATO, Saturday.—Market firm for best samples of old, but inferior slow, while new ruled easier on larger arrivals. King Edwards 75/- to 80/-, Lincoln, Great Scott, Arran Chief, and Evergood Skirts 45/-, Majestics 55/-, Blackland King Edwards 60/-, Kerr Pinks, Tunwald, Perfection 50/- per ton, new Teneriffe 8/- per case, Spanish 20/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Saturday.—SUGAR—Market for refined parcels on the spot remained steady, with a moderate demand for British makes at late rates. Of foreign, American granulated spot quoted 65/6, May steamer 30/- c.i.f. London, white Java spot 63/6 to 63/9, ditto May-June 33/-, June-July 31/-, July-August 29/6 c.i.f. London. White terminal quiet and easier; August sold 36/-, 36/4½, and 36/-, December 28/7½, 28/4½, and 28/6, October-December 29/7½ per cwt. COFFEE remained quiet by private treaty, and except for fine parcels prices tend in buyers' favour. TEA—Market ruled quiet, pending auctions next week. RICE dull; two stars spot quoted 13/9, new crop afloat 13/6 c.i.f.; brokens move off slowly at late rates. Rangoon peas spot 8/-, and Japanese peas spot 26/- per cwt. SPICE—Pepper slow; fair black Singapore spot 4½d., April-June 4 3-16d., Aleppy spot 4½d., Tellicherry spot 4½d., white Singapore 6d., Muntok 6¼d., April-June 6th 1-16d. Zanzibar cloves steady; spot quoted 1/-, March-May steamer 11½d. TAPIOCA—Fair flake Singapore spot 3½d., and fine Java 4½d. per lb. Fair Penang seed pearl tapioca spot 32/6. Small sago 24/6. Sago flour—May-July 13/9. Desiccated coconut—Fine cut spot 47/9, medium 49/-, halves May-June 43/9 per cwt. JUTE inactive, and without material alteration in prices; first grade to usual Continental ports May-June value £29 10/-, August-September £29 buyers, September-October £29 value, lightning grades May-June £28 10/- nominal, and new crop £28 10/- sellers per ton. Hessians and twills without change. HEMP—Market quiet but steady; Manila J grade April-June buyers £33 10/-, K £32 10/- value, L £32 5/- buyers, M £31 10/- sellers per ton. New Zealand and African sisal are unchanged. SHELLAC quiet; T.N. spot quoted 325/-, May sellers 315/-, August 285/- per cwt. COPRA again easier; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam February-April £29 2/6 value, March-May sold at £28 17/6 to £28 15/-, April-June £28 10/-, Ceylon April-May quoted at £31 5/-, Java March-May £29 5/-, April-June £29. Dutch East Indies March-May sold at £28 17/6 to £28 16/3, Cebu April-May quoted £28 5/-, South Sea Island £27 15/-; to Marseilles, F.M. Straits April-May £27 15/-, mixed £27 12/6. PALM KERNELS May-July to Liverpool quoted at £19 17/6 per ton. RUBBER opened easier, closing fully steady; standard plantation crepe and sheet spot also May sold at 1/3½, June 1/3⅝ to 1/3⅝, July-September 1/3⅞ to 1/4, October-December 1/4¼ to 1/4½ per lb. Wild sorts unaltered. OILS—Linseed steady; spot 49/6, May-August 43/6, September-December 39/9. Rape—Crude spot 45/-. Cotton—Crude Egyptian spot 43/-. Chinawood—Hankow spot barrels 138/-. Coconut—Ceylon May-June 47/- per cwt. Turpentine nominally unaltered, also petroleum and rosin. OILSEEDS—Linseed quiet; Calcutta afloat £21 12/6 sellers, April-May £21; Plate afloat £20 12/6, April-May £19 12/6. Rapeseed quieter; Toria May-June £18 5/-, real bold Ferozopore ditto £16 17/6, Jamba £14. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black May £12 6/3, white £11 10/-, Bombay May-June £9 17/6 per ton. Gingelly and castor unaltered.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.—CANE SUGAR quiet, with the value of Cubans forward shipment 33/6 per cwt., c.i.f., basis 96 deg. pol. Brazilian and Peruvian not offering. The following are Messrs. Tate's and Lyle's quotations:—Crystals—No. 1 68/3, small No. 1 67/9, No. 2 66/6, bright 66/4½; granulated, standard 66/3, H.T.S. 66/6, coarse 66/7½, fine 66/7½, all ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ per cent. discount. Cubes, ex refinery in London—1st quality 71/9, H.T.S. 70/9, afternoon tea 71/9, less 1½ per cent. discount. COCOA quiet, unchanged for West African spot and forward. Late yesterday fair sales of Lagos on spot made at 35/- per cwt. in bond. COFFEE slow, and no transactions reported. RICE quiet, unchanged at 13/6 per cwt. for Burmah forward shipment. LINSEED quiet, and for River Plate shippers quote £20 15/- per ton for forward shipments. COTTONSEED steady, with buyers of white Brazilian forward shipment £8 15/- per ton. HEMP—Manila steady; buyers J grade at £33 10/-, c.i.f., May-July April-June. Sales reported in No. 2 Cebu Naguey at £27 10/- per ton, c.i.f., May-July. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak in store quiet at 15/- to 15/6, with forward shipments March-May quoted 13/4½ per cwt. c.i.f. RANGOON BEANS—White hand-picked on spot unaltered at 10/- to 10/6 from store, with f.a.q. in store quoted 7/9 per cwt. JAPANESE PEAS—Business is on a quiet scale, but store parcels remain without quotable change at 28/- to 29/- per cwt. RICE BRAN quietly steady at £5 12/6 for April-May shipment, and £5 15/- per ton for May-July shipment, ex ship terms. COPRA quiet, and sundried West African sorts scarce and nominally £26 10/- per ton. LOCUST BEANS—Cyprus slow of sale, but forward shipments held for £5 per ton, c.i.f. in bulk. OIL CAKES quiet, unchanged; American linseed £9 12/6 c.i.f. April-May shipment; Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed £7, forward shipment, ex ship terms. PALM KERNEL OIL quiet; Liverpool crushed prompt £43 5/-, and extracted forward delivery £41 15/- per ton, ex mills naked. COCOANUT OIL—Ceylon for forward shipment to Liverpool without change at £47 10/- per ton, c.i.f., but buyers operate quietly. PALM OIL quiet, without change in values, and no sales reported in any description or position. PALM KERNELS quiet, with sellers May-July at £20, and buyers at 2/6 per ton less. TALLOW slow, but shippers make no further change in their asking prices. DYEWOODS—Logwood and fustic in quiet demand, but prices remain steady on spot. GAMBIER—Block on spot scarce, and the value still more or less nominal. For shipment 39/- c.i.f. wanted. Cubes steady, and spot parcels of No. 2 quoted 60/-, with forward shipment still held for 57/6 for No. 1 and 55/- per cwt. for No. 2 quality, c.i.f. terms. CUTCH steady, with moderate offerings, and late rates asked on spot. GUM steady, with Niger Arabic still inquired for, and holders maintain their limits. RUBBER—Para quiet; hard fine spot 1/3 per lb. Plantation quiet; buyers crepe July-September 1/4, and value May crepe 1/3½ per lb. CASTOR OIL—English prices remain at the recently improved level, viz., £62 for pharmacy, £57 firsts, and £56 per ton seconds, ex mills Hull in barrels. For good seconds Calcutta for shipment 6d. per lb. quoted ex quay terms Liverpool, in cases, but buyers little interested. COTTONSEED OIL—Liverpool makes steady at 50/- for deodorised, and 47/- per cwt. common edible, net naked ex mills. LINSEED OIL steady, with 53/- per cwt. quoted for raw on spot in barrels. ROSIN steady, but quiet, with American types showing no quotable change. TURPENTINE scarce on spot, with the value of American 113/6; for May delivery 110/- per ton repeated. PETROLEUM OILS steady; American refined on spot in barrels 1/1 to 1/2 per gallon. NITRATE OF SODA in fair demand, and spot sellers quote £13 5/- to £13 10/- per ton, as in quality, in single bags.

OILCAKES AND FEEDING-STUFFS, London, Saturday.—Linseed Cakes—Prices have further declined, the values of home-made cakes being now £10 7/6 to £10 12/6 per ton on rail, with offers of high-class Calcutta cakes at very reasonable figures. Cotton Cakes are less steady, but supplies of home-made cakes are limited, and there is very little crushing taking place. Home-made cakes are now £7 7/6 on rail, with sellers of Egyptian-made afloat and for shipment at £6 16/3 ex ship. Bombay Cakes quoted £5 17/6 per ton. Decorticated Cotton Cakes in limited supply, and a recent arrival of 52 per cent. oil and albuminoids met a ready sale at £11 10/- per ton ex dock. Decorticated Groundnut Cake on spot £11 15/- per ton landed. Extracted Groundnut Meal quoted £6 12/6 ex mill. Coconut Cakes slow; English unaltered at £7 10/- to £7 15/- ex works. Palm Kernel Meal unchanged at £5 per ton ex works. Milling Offals—Middlings firm at 7/6 to 7/9 ex mill; bran steady at 6/3, broad bran 7/3 to 10/-. Plate pollards 6/4½ landed.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Saturday.—Imported during the week 475 tons, melted 5,230 tons, stock 19,187. Demand during the week advanced; prices of whites 8d. and yellows 2/6 to 4/6. Quotations—Fine crystals 66/- to 64/6, fine granulated 65/3 to 65/6, ordinary 65/-, yellow 52/- to 56/. Market closes strong, good business doing. No improvement in supply of yellows.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LEICESTER WOOL, Saturday.—Wool remains very firm, and, of course, follows the tendency of the London sales to harden. Yarns are in moderate demand, though there is a slight improvement in orders. Hosiery remains about the same, but the tendency to buy to the lowest ebb still continues, and if there is a sudden period of warm weather the orders for fancy goods will probably cause a flood of demands, which the factories will not be able to satisfy.

BALLYMENA FLAX MARKET.—At the Ballymena flax market on Saturday, twenty tons of fibre were offered for sale, and, as the demand was steady, it was all sold. The prices ranged from 13/- to 16/6 per stone, and the bulk of the material realised prices ranging from 14/- to 15/- per stone. There was the usual attendance of buyers.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Saturday.

Homeward markets closed the week with a very steady tone, but business was on a limited scale. The River Plate continues to display firm features, with a good inquiry for May tonnage, and handy size steamers up river to U.K.-Continent held for 37/6, with larger sizes at 31/-. Forward positions, however, are less in request, and values rule at about 28/9 for June-July. North American grain moves off slowly, and Northern range ports to West Italy quote 19 cents May, with similar cargoes from Montreal at 22 cents, and Greece 24 cents per 100lbs. Coal from Northern range to French Atlantic may possibly repeat 3½ dollars and Rio de Janeiro 3½ dollars per ton. Nitrate ports are quietly steady at about 32/6 to U.K.-Continent and 5½ dollars to the United States. Cuba sugar indicates 22/6 to U.K.-Continent May. Pacific Coast indicates 37/6 August loading to U.K.-Continent, and Tampa phosphate 5 dollars to the Far East. Eastern markets remain firm, and tonnage in small supply. Karachi can repeat 27/- scale basis, and Java sugar maintains 37/6 June shipment to U.K.-Continent. Danube grain established 21/9 to U.K.-Continent, but mineral ore business remains very quiet, and rates nominally unaltered. Outward coal chartering continues restricted, although the inquiry show signs of improvement, while rates display a hardening tendency. Other departments without new feature. Fixture:—Sanmango, American Northern range to La Pallice, May, 3 dollars 15 cents, coal.

COMPANY MEETING.

HIBERNIAN INSURANCE COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company, Ltd., was held on Saturday at the head offices, 48-49 Dame street, Dublin—Mr. William Field, Chairman, presiding.

The directors present were:—Senator J. C. Dowdall, and Messrs. D. J. Cogan, P. W. Corrigan, George W. Strahan, LL.D.; Edward Williams, and Sir Joseph Downes.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report and statement of accounts, said that the year under review had been a period of unprecedented difficulty for Irish industries and all kinds of commercial activity. It had been handicapped by uncertainties of all kinds, in the handling of goods, in the delivery of mails, as to the enforcement of legal rights, and the wholesale destruction of buildings and consequent loss of income to this country. In spite of these conditions, Irish industry had survived, which was a great tribute to its financial soundness, and, if it had not yet emerged triumphant, it was well on the way to doing so. The conditions he had referred to had almost entirely disappeared, and with them, let them hope, the extra taxation, which was inevitable in order to meet them. The directors looked forward with confidence to the future. The prosperity of the company would go hand in hand with the prosperity of the country. The position which they had attained under unprecedented difficulties bore eloquent testimony of what they might confidently look forward to under more favourable auspices. He hoped they might all look forward to the time when Irish insurers would give the same measure of support to Irish insurance companies as they now did to Irish banking concerns. Dealing with the balance sheet, they would observe their income had been substantially increased. Their ratio of expenses had been reduced; their claims ratio was still many points below the level of the vast majority of other companies. He thought they might claim credit for this state of affairs owing to careful management in every branch of insurance and rigid economy in expenses. Their reserves last year for unexpired liability and for outstanding claims amounted to approximately £28,000, and as against this the sum of approximately £25,000 was paid in claims. Their reserves for similar contingencies for the year under review amounted to nearly £38,000, apart altogether from their reserve for depreciataion of investments, amounting to £11,900. He was pleased to be able to tell them a very substantial increase had taken place in the value of their investments, and the amount of the investment reserve fund was considerably in excess of what was needed. It had been frequently stated by unscrupulous competitors that their investments were not in Irish securities. From the balance sheet they would see that the entire investments of the company were in Irish trustee stocks, and since the publication of their balance sheet a further substantial sum had been invested in Irish trustee securities. Their assets had increased by £20,000 during the year, and, with a credit to profit and loss account of £10,456 13s. 5d., he might justly claim that they had had a very successful year. They looked forward to future development in no uncertain spirit of optimism. He was pleased to inform them that Senator J. C. Dowdall, of Cork, had been co-opted a director on the board. (Hear, hear.) Confirmation of his appointment would come before that meeting.

Mr. D. J. Cogan seconded the resolution.

Mr. H. P. Courtney said that he was glad that the Chairman spoke with confidence of the company and, what was more important, of the country generally. The cost of running the company compared favourably with the cost of British insurance companies of the highest standard. He deprecated the competition between the Irish insurance companies, of which the country could not be proud, and he urged that these companies, instead of fighting each other, should fight the common enemy. A question had been raised at their last meeting about the Irish bank managers not supporting their company and giving a preference to foreign companies. During the year he had the privilege of raising the question at some of the bank meetings. At the Provincial Bank they said nothing very hostile, the Hibernian Bank seemed entirely friendly, and the Royal Bank chairman received his remarks royally, and he had no doubt the directors would not be in opposition to the Hibernian Insurance Company. He thought the dividend this year was scarcely sufficient, and he suggested that it be increased from 5 per cent. to 7 per cent., less income tax, absorbing £2,250, and leaving £8,208 to be carried forward. He asked if the directors could not do anything to introduce a system of life insurance, and he thought that the company should seek to emancipate the entire insurance business of the country.

Mr. J. C. Clegg proposed, and Mr. George Ryce seconded, an amendment that a cash bonus of 5 per cent. should be paid, in addition to the dividend.

Mr. D. J. Cogan, replying to the discussion on behalf of the directors, said that the company had a large number of small shareholders throughout the country, and it was for that reason the board originally decided to pay a net dividend, because of the difficulty in making a fractional amount of dividend. A net dividend of 5 per cent. worked out in a lump sum. Their income tax was also paid in a lump sum, and was equal to nearly 5 per cent. He urged with regard to dividend that the company should pursue a conservative policy, and should not, therefore, pay any increased dividend this year, while hoping in the near future to double the dividend. They hoped before they were much older to be in a position to do something in the life insurance branch, though he urged caution in the light of the failure of previous Irish industrial insurance enterprises.

The amendments were generally withdrawn, and the resolution was carried unanimously.

On the motion of Mr. P. W. Corrigan, seconded by Mr. James Williams, a dividend was declared at the rate of 5 per cent., free of income tax.

The appointment of Senator Dowdall, Cork, as a director of the company was unanimously confirmed.

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

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GOLF.

HOLLEY'S BRILLIANT GOLF.

CASTLE PROFESSIONAL WINS MORAN CUP.

William Holley, the professional attached to the Castle Club, achieved a remarkable victory on Saturday in the final round of the Michael Moran Memorial Cup. Since he came into prominence in Irish golf Holley has given many first-rate exhibitions, but never has he displayed the same brilliance in the execution of his shots as he did against M. McDermott in Saturday's final. He was irresistible. So much so that the Hermitage man won only one hole of the 26, over which the match extended, that being the third, where he was down in 3 to 5.

Holley secured no assistance from the prevailing conditions; in fact, they were against the golfer, for the wind was heavy, and there were sharp showers. But playing into the wind or with it behind him made no difference to Holley. If there was one feature of his game which was stronger than another it was his approaching and putting, his pitching and his work on the greens being deadly. He finished with a beautiful 3 at the 26th, supplementing a grand drive with a beautiful pitch and run, and holing the putt. That was a typical sample of the golf played by the winner. It was faultless and flawless golf, such as few professionals could have improved on in the final match of three strenuous days' play.

In the morning Holley was out in 36. He won the first two holes. McDermott took the second—which proved to be his solitary success—and then came three more holes for the Castle man, the remaining three being halved. Homeward, McDermott did better, six holes being halved, but at the end of the round Holley held a lead of seven, averaging fours, the approximate figures being:—

HOLLEY.
Out—5 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 4=36
In—3 4 4 3 5 3 5 5 4=36=72.
McDERMOTT.
Out—6 5 3 5 5 5 3 4 4=40
In—4 4 4 4 5 3 5 5 5=39=79

Continuing to play splendid golf, Holley, following two halves at the 19th and 20th, added three more to his total, and at the 23rd the match was practically finished, for he was then leading by 10. The next two were halved, and then came the brilliant 3 at the 26th, where Holley won by 11 and 10. The approximate scores for the eight holes were:—Holley—5 5 3 3 4 4 3 3=30; McDermott—5 5 4 4 5 4 3 4=34.

McDermott played a good up-hill game, and against a less brilliant golfer would have made a fine match of it. He made few mistakes, but he was up against it from start to finish. Even when he did look like winning the 6th on the second round by hitting a grand brassey on to the green, with Holley's second pulled into a bad lie, the local man chipped up to the pin to snatch a half.

The cup and prizes were presented by Lord Glenavy, President of the Club, who complimented the winner and runner-up, and incidentally alluded to the late Michael Moran, whom he described as the best golfer the country had produced and a gallant soldier. Dr. Price, Hon. Secretary of the G.U.I., also spoke, and complimented the club and the officials on the excellent arrangements they had made for the comfort and convenience of the players and visitors.

AMERICANS' FIRST MATCH.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SOCIETY DIVIDE THE HONOURS.

The team of golfers which has been sent to uphold the honours of the United States in the Walker Trophy contest played their first match on Saturday, when they opposed Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society in four-ball matches and foursomes at Rye.

On the fourball matches, which is the American favourite form of golf, the Society led by four to two, but in the foursome matches, the Society's strong point, the Americans won four matches against two, and on the day's play divided the honours. The results of the four-ball matches were:—

E. Holderness and H. Gillies (Oxford and Cambridge Society) lost to Jesse Sweetser and Francis Ouimet (America)—4 and 3.

R. de Montmorency and Cyril Tolley (Society) beat D. Herron and H. Johnston (America)—2 and 1.

Roger Wethered and Bernard Darwin (Society) beat Dr. Willing and Fred Wright (America)—4 and 3.

A. Evans and Landale (Society) beat Max Marston and R. Lewis (America)—2 and 1.

Melling and W. Pewell (Society) lost to F. Rotan and J. Neville (America)—4 and 2.

E. Storey and A. Croome (Society) beat J. Byers and Robert Gardner (America)—3 and 2.

The foursomes resulted as follows:—

Montmorency and Tolly lost to Sweetser and Ouimet—3 and 1.

Wethered and Darwin lost to Gardner and Marston—2 up.

Holderness and Evans lost to Herron and Johnston—1 up.

Storey and Landale lost to Willing and Wright—7 and 5.

Mellin and Powell beat Roton and Lewis—2 and 1.

Gillies and Croome beat Neville and Roberts—3 and 2.

HUTCHINSON'S NEW APPOINTMENT.

"Jock" Hutchinson, the British open champion of 1921, has been appointed head professional to the new Coldstream Club, Long Island. His salary is stated to be the largest on record. Although Hutchinson's contract with the Glenview Club, Chicago, does not terminate until next year, the club will not stand in the way of his financial betterment.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

LUCAN.—(Ladies' Branch)—May 2nd—Semi-open ladies' Scotch foursomes, 18 holes v. bogey. Prizes presented by Dr. and Miss O'Connor. Draws at 11, 2, and 3 o'clock. The Dodsboro' Cup was won by Mrs. Messervy, who beat Mrs. John in the final.

ROSSLARE.—Prize presented by Rev. Joseph Doery—W. Ffrench (18), 77; M. Kearney (10), 77; J. B. Pettigrew (6), 80.

ISLAND.—Challenge cup draw—Bye, Mrs. Mitchell; Miss Thornhill v. Miss Daly; Miss D. Phelps v. Mrs. FitzGibbon; Miss Lane Joynt v. Mrs. Jameson; Mrs. Crosbie v. Miss Barrington; Mrs. E. J. Watson v. Miss Moore. Byes—Miss A. G. Story v. Mrs. Phelps.

RATHFARNHAM.—(Ladies' Branch)—May 1st—Foursomes, 18 holes, bogey; arrange partners. Draw 10.45 for opponents. May 4th—Semi-open fourballs; arrange partners and opponents; 18 holes, bogey. Result of competition for prizes presented by Miss A. McCaw.. Class I.—Mrs. Joze (23), 87; Mrs. B. Roche (23), 92. Class II.—Miss K. Batchen (26), 95; Miss W. Drury (27), 102.

ATHLETICS.

HORAN CUP RACE.

The Clonliffe Harriers' handicap for the Horan Cup on Saturday produced one of the best bits of handicapping for which Mr. T. Burton, the moving spirit of the club, has been responsible. It is not easy to bring together a big field in a six miles race, when some of the competitors require twelve and a half minutes' start from the scratchman; but on Saturday Mr. Burton succeeded in getting home the first five men inside sixty seconds and the first dozen within two minutes. He was heartily congratulated on his good work, particularly as the race was won in the exact time he set the scratchman to do.

Bingham figured on scratch; but, without the same inducement to extend himself to the full as in the ten-mile championship, he did not do quite so well. He ran into first place in the handicap, thus beating nineteen of his twenty-three competitors, and covered the six miles in 35 minutes 24 seconds. The winner of the race was J. J. Gorry, a veteran, who had a son running in the event. Gorry needed all the start he received, as he was only able to get home by the narrow margin of 11 seconds from C. F. Rothwell, who, despite a substantial penalty for his win in the Grand "National" handicap a fortnight ago, ran into second place. Of the twenty-four runners sixteen persevered to the finish, and were placed as below.

Result:—
match, indeed, much of the interest in the race lay

J. J. Gorry (12m. 30s.)	1
C. E. Rothwell (2m. 30s.)	2
F. J. Duffy (6m.)	3
J. Ryan (5m. 30s.)	4
B. H. Bingham (scr.)	5
W. E. O'Hara (7m. 30s.)	6
J. A. Gorry (3m. 30s.)	7
P. J. Howlin (9m.)	8
F. Gibney (4m. 30s.)	9
J. Peelo (1m. 30s.)	10
P. Murray (9m.)	11
J. P. Cusack (6m. 30s.)	12
T. Kelly (5m. 30s.)	13
C. Byrne (5m.)	14
G. Ryan (8m.)	15
C. P. Kenna (3m.)	16

The Doran Cup, which will be the concluding event of the Clonliffe season, will be decided on Saturday next.

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS OPENING RACE.

The vice-president of the club, Mr. G. A. Newsom, started the season well on Saturday by winning the first race in quite hollow style. It was in the fitness of things, however, that one of the older members should do well in this match, indeed, much of the interest in the rate lay in the early glimpse of the "form" of helmsmen which it provided. One missed Tomboy III., with Mr. R. Donnelly at the tiller, but otherwise the five starters were really representative of the true racing strength of the Wag fleet.

Three of these were well watched, Phyllis, because of the fine display she gave; Coquette, because of the standard she provided; and Pansy, because it was the young hon. sec.'s first race in the boat he has purchased from Mr. J. H. Hargrave. After rounding the first buoy, Phyllis, with her owner at the tiller, made every mark a winning one. Coquette began and finished well; but Pansy lost heavily on the beat the first time, and seemed after never to get as good a breeze as the others.

The breeze was fairly fresh and puffy out of the westward when they were sent away over the port course at 4 o'clock, Blue Bird holding a slight lead of Coquette, Phyllis, Barbara and Pansy, as they went down-wind in a good start. All except Blue Bird, on which boat a lady was "crew," set spinnaker, and Coquette established a lead early. When she jibbed and crossed the others to fetch the jetty buoy her lead seemed assured, but Phyllis, which had laid the mark direct, was the first to round it. Thereafter, and particularly on the windward work, Phyllis never gave the others a look in. Nearest her always was Coquette, but was 70 secs. behind at the end of the first, and 1½ mins. at the end of the second round. Coquette reduced this lead remarkably on the last round, indeed, she caught up a better wind on the finishing stretch, but Phyllis even then was an easy winner.

(FINISH.)	H.	M.	S.
Phyllis (winner), Mr. G. A. Newsom	4	41	10
Coquette (2nd prize), Mr. G. H. Jones	4	41	45
Barbara, Dr. J. T. Wigham	4	43	6
Blue Bird, Dr. G. P. Meldon	4	45	20
Pansy, Mr. J. H. Stephens	4	53	48

Mr. H. R. Newland was officer of the day.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Governors of the Masonic Female Orphan School will be held at the schoolhouse, Ballsbridge, to-morrow morning at 9. Breakfast

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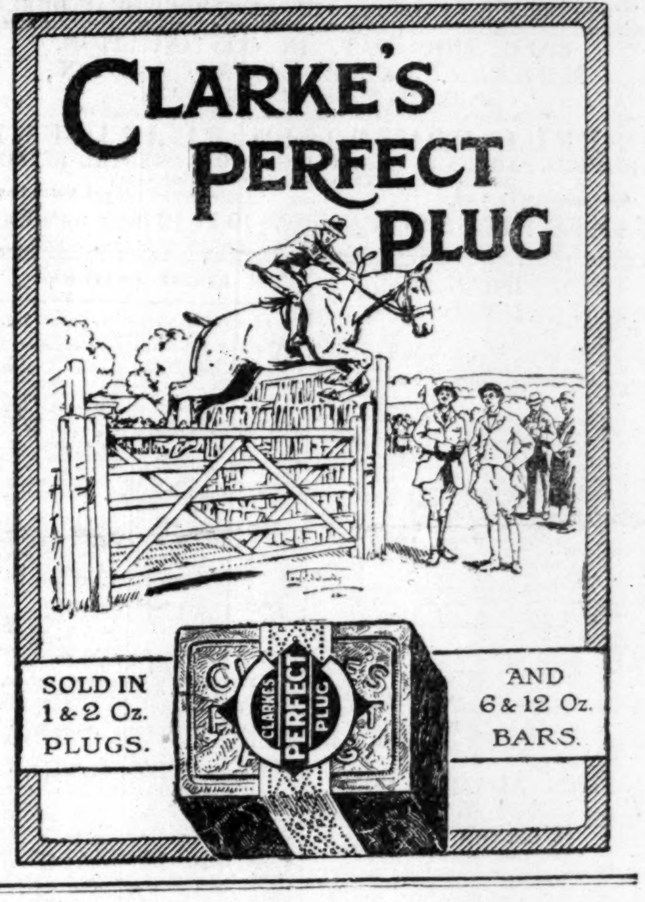

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LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

Eight steamers landed cattle, sheep, sheep and lamb carcases, pork, and fresh beef at Liverpool during the past week from the various North and South American and Colonial ports. The vessels, with their freights, were as follow:—The Pardo, from Rio Gallegos, with 111,216 sheep and lamb carcases; the West Arrow, from Boston, with 411 cattle; the Surrey, from Australia, with 28,412 sheep and lamb carcases and 1,444 qrs. of beef; the Montrose, from St. John, with 1,000 boxes of pork; the Barrymore, from Newport News, with 193 cattle; the Adriatic, from New York, with 3,160 boxes of pork and 1,070 boxes of meat; the Descado, from Buenos Ayres, with 14,475 sheep and lamb carcases, 5,210 boxes of meat, and 37,437 qrs. of beef; and the Michigan, from Portland Me. with 459 cattle and 1,803 sheep, making a total of 1,069 cattle, 1,803 sheep, 154,203 sheep and lamb carcases, 4,160 boxes of pork, 6,271 boxes of meat, and 38,981 qrs. of beef. Compared with the imports of the preceding week, these figures show an increase of 362 cattle, 601 sheep, and a decrease of 1,349 sheep and lamb carcases, 5,999 boxes of pork, 18,737 boxes of meat, and 21,750 qrs. of beef.

TENNIS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINAL.

As the result of the semi-final round in the Amateur Championship at Queen's Club, London, on Saturday, V. H. Pennell and E. A. C. Druce meet in the final to-day for the right to challenge the holder, E. M. Baerlein for the title. They were both keen matches, remarkable for much clever tennis all round. Results:—V. H. Pennell (Queen's) beat W. Renshaw (Manchester)—3 sets to 2—3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 2-6; E. A. C. Druce (Queen's) beat Hon. C. N. Bruce (Queen's)—3 sets to 2—6-3, 6-5, 1-6, 5-6, 6-3.

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AUCTION OF EXCELLENT ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, IRISH SILVER, SHEFFIELD AND PLATED WARE, CARPETS AND RUGS, CUT GLASS CHANDELIER, BALLI TRAP, BROUGHAM, SIDE-CAR, etc., etc.

JOHN D. PALMER has received instructions from the Representatives of the late Mr. Robert M. Ardagh to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION (the Mill and Residence having been sold) ON THURSDAY, 3rd, and FRIDAY, 4th, MAY, 1923, at 12 o'clock (Summer Time) each day, the entire Contents. Order of Sale:—

Thursday:—Diningroom, Hall, Stairs, 3 Bedrooms, Garden, and Outdoor Effects.

Friday:—Drawing and Sittingrooms, remaining Bedrooms, Maids' Rooms, Kitchen, etc.

On view Wednesday, 2nd, 11 o'clock to 4 o'clock. Charge on door to prevent overcrowding.

Terms Cash.

JOHN D. PALMER,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
CATHERINE STREET, WATERFORD.

WOODSTOCK, INISTIOGE, CO. KILKENNY.

CLEARANCE SALE OF 16 PRIME DAIRY COWS, 2 BULLS, 59 BULLOCKS AND HEIFERS, 16 CALVES, 111 WETHERS AND EWES, 2 RAMS, 100 LAMBS, 2 BOARS, 4 SOWS, 18 STORE PIGS, 2 COLTS, 1 WORKING HORSE, FARM IMPLEMENTS.

JOHN D. PALMER has received instructions from the Trustees of Woodstock Estate to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the Farmyards, Inistioge, on WEDNESDAY, 2nd MAY, 1923, at 12 o'clock sharp (old time), the entire Stock, including above. A punctual attendance is requested.

Terms Cash.

JOHN D. PALMER,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
CATHERINE STREET, WATERFORD.

STORE CATTLE SALES EVERY THURSDAY.

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STORE CATTLE SALES.

NO COMMISSION CHARGED TO BUYERS AT

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF

JAMES RODGERS, late of Creeran, in the County of Monaghan, Farmer, Deceased.

Take Notice that I will, on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, apply for Letters of Administration Intestate of the personal Estate and Effects of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 4th day of May, 1919, unless a Caveat has been entered at the Principal Registry, Dublin Castle, within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.

JOHN G. MACRATH, Solicitor for Mrs. [illegible] West, the Applicant,

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of

WALTER PERRIN, late of Cloneygoose, Borris, in the County of Carlow, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 30th day of July, 1922, are hereby required on or before the 1st day of June, 1923, to furnish (in writing) full particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased was granted forth of the District Registry, at Kilkenny, on the 18th day of April, 1923.

And notice is hereby further given that after the 1st day of June, 1923, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as hereby required.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1923.

MALCOMSON and LAW, Solicitors for the said Executors, 60 Dawson street, Dublin; and Carlow.

1917, No. 750.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, SAORSTAT EIREANN.

CHANCERY DIVISION—Mr. JUSTICE POWELL.

Between

ANDREW S. HUNTER and ROBERT PATTON, Plaintiffs;

And

REVEREND WILLIAM D. WALLACE, LIZZIE STARRETT, ALICE STARRETT, JOHN PATTON, and JEANNIE PATTON, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the funds standing in Court to the credit of the above-mentioned Action are about to be finally allocated.

Any person who has obtained a Stop Order or Charging Order affecting the said funds, or any part thereof, is required forthwith to lodge such Order with the Chief Clerk, Mr. Justice Powell's Chambers, Room 46, Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.

THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
JOHN WRAY, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, 24 Lower Ormond quay, Dublin.

1923, No. 7146.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, KING'S BENCH DIVISION.

NOTICE AND ADVERTISEMENT OF WRIT OF SUMMONS.

Issued in Actions against Incorporate Body, Railway Company, Poor Law Guardians, etc.

ESTHER LAWLESS, Plaintiff;

And

RATHMINES URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Act 16 and 17 Victoria, Chap 113, Sec. 33, that a Writ of Summons has been issued at the suit of the said Esther Lawless, of 18 Fitzgerald street, Harold's Cross, in the County of Dublin, against Rathmines Urban District Council, having their principal offices at Town Hall, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, in the King's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice of Saorstat Eireann.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1923.

JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor for the said Plaintiff, 58 Rutland square, West, Dublin.

To the said Rathmines Urban District Council and all whom it may concern.

TO MARIA MALONE, or McLAUGHLIN, formerly of Montreal, Canada, sister of Joseph Malone, deceased; or, if she be dead, her children.

Pursuant to an Order made on the 2nd day of February, 1923, by a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, you are hereby called upon to send in to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of December, 1923, your claim to the estate of Joseph Malone, Deceased, who died at Collingwood, in New Zealand, failing which the said estate will be distributed amongst those entitled thereto, disregarding your claim.

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of February, 1923.

GEO. G. ROSS, Solicitor to the Public Trust Office, Wellington, New Zealand

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THE FLAX SOCIETY, LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Creditors of the above-named Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, are required on or before the 15th day of June, 1923, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to W. Moore Knox, Chartered Accountant, of 34 Donegall place, Belfast, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to come in and prove their said debts and claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1923.

ROBERT WALLACE, Solicitor for the Liquidator, Saxone House, Donegall place, Belfast.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of

KATE WALLACE, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that Kate Wallace, late of 67 Strand road, Sandymount, Co. Dublin, Spinster, who died there on the 6th of January, 1923, by her Will, dated the 1st of October, 1922, bequeathed £50 to the Sick Poor visited by the Sisters of Charity, Lakelands, Sandymount, and £30 for Masses for the repose of her soul, to be said in public.

Probate of the said Will was granted on the 22nd of February, 1923, by the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland to Mrs. Frances O. Lindsay, of Woodville, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, Widow, the Executrix therein named.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.

A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Bequests in Ireland, and all others whom it may concern.

MESSRS. HOLDEN'S SALES

NEXT THURSDAY, AT 11.30 A.M.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SILVER & PLATED WARE, ARTISTS' PROOF ENGRAVINGS.

AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.
On View Wednesday Next, 11 to 4.

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers,
SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 9th MAY.

EXCELLENTLY SITUATED BUSINESS PREMISES, known as

THE DANISH AND IRISH CREAMERY,

81 LOWER CAMDEN STREET

(AS A GOING CONCERN, IF DESIRED).

Lease 100 Years from 1872, at £35. P.L.V. £44.

TO BE SOLD, by instructions of the Owner.

The Premises consist of a Three-storey Building of attractive appearance, containing Shop, handsomely fitted with marble counter and shelving, beautifully tiled dado, large mirrors and paintings, and having tiled floor. In front of the shop is a tiled and mosaic enclosure for goods display, also awning blind. There are two storerooms behind shop and a basement with concreted floor. At the rear there is a large store, having concreted floor and long glass roof; also concreted yard, stabling, motor shed, and large gate entrance.

The Domestic Accommodation comprises:—Drawingroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen (having fine range set in white enamelled brickwork), pantry, scullery (containing gas cooker), and bathroom. There is electric light throughout. The drainage is on the most approved plan. Although the premises are elaborately fitted for the Creamery business, they might be adapted to suit any business. Telephone installed.

The Premises are in excellent order, and require no outlay. Immediate possession to the purchaser. The property may be inspected daily between 3 and 5 o'clock (or by appointment) on production of Card to View.

Conditions of Sale from JOHN HAWTHORNE, Solicitor, 15 Eustace street.

Orders to View, etc., from

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers,
SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 9th MAY.

OLD-ESTABLISHED CHANDLERY CONCERN.

143 PARNELL STREET.

Lease 100 Years from 1st May, 1804, at £40 11s. 6d. per annum. P.L.V., £37.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, in the SALEROOMS, 2 SAINT ANDREW STREET, on above date, at One o'clock

This is a substantial 4-storey structure, containing good Shop, parlour at rear, and 6 apartments overhead, with hall-door entrance. Concreted yard at rear, and good cellarage for storage purposes. There is electric light in shop, parlour, and cellar. The six apartments upstairs are let, and produce £53 6s. 0d. yearly. Clear possession of the Shop, Parlour, and Cellarage will be given purchaser.

The business carried on is very old-established, and the position of the premises, from a trading standpoint, excellent. The premises, however, would suit any business.

On View each day, 2.30 to 4.30, on production of Card to View.

Conditions of Sale from C. C. SHAW, Solicitor, 4 Dame street.

Further particulars, Orders to View, etc., from

W. J. HOLDEN & SON,
Auctioneers,
SAINT ANDREW STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY (MONDAY), AT 1 O'CLOCK, IN THE AUCTION ROOMS,

8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

Sale by Auction of FURNITURE, Pianos, NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, Contents of Photographic Studio, etc.

Sale will Commence at One o'clock. Photographic Lots will be Sold at 2.30. Pianos at 3.

Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees.

THOMAS GARLAND,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

APARTMENTS CONTINUED (FROM PAGE 3).

3 OR 4 business ladies can have superior accommodation, modern house, exclusive Sittingroom, attendance, Whitehall. Apply Miss White, 25 Nassau st. 26 A

26 WESTLAND Row—Visitors to Dublin, select accommodation; moderate. 'Phone, 984. 23 A

40 DARTMOUTH Square—One or two Bedrooms, Sittingroom; select. Seen after 6 o'clock. 28 D

53 WATERLOO road—Furnished Bedroom, vacant; bath, electric light; moderate. 25 A

56 MERRION square—Davenport's—Board Residence, full, partial; visitors or permanent; moderate. 12 20

74 LOWER Leeson street, Stephen's Green—Select Furnished Apartments; partial board optional. 28 D

APARTMENTS WANTED.

BOARD Residence, settled Gentleman, respectable, R.C. family; Rathmines; no lodgers.—R O 1479, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 25 A

COMBINED Room Wanted by lady, Ballsbridge, Sandymount, Merrion; no attendance; 10/-.—N 1155, this office.

FURNISHED Apartments Wanted, Botanic road, by gentleman; give particulars and terms.—N 811, this office. 25 A

GENTLEMAN requires an airy front Combined Bedroom in Terenure; state terms, including attendance.—N 1128, this office. 27 C

LADY wants Bedroom, Share Sittingroom, Partial Board, Palmerston or Terenure district.—N 1088, this office. 27 A

LADY, out most of the day, requires Furnished Bedroom and Sittingroom, with attendance; Pembroke district preferred.—N 1134, this office. 28 D

LADY and Daughter want Sittingroom, Bedroom, linen, full attendance (dinner in); permanent; 35/- weekly.—R O 1494, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 29 B

RETIRED Military Officer wishes to hear of gentleman's family taking Paying Guests, South Dublin neighbourhood.—N 1057, this office. 27 A

STUDENT wants comfortable Apartments, full or partial Board; state terms.—N 1186, this office.

UNFURNISHED Room Wanted for old lady; state terms, which must be reasonable.—N 311, this office. 27 A

WANTED, Private Sittingroom (piano), Furnished Bedroom, attendance, two ladies, or small Furnished Flat (piano), until July.—N 1159, this office.

WANTED, Combined Bed Sittingroom for one business lady, or Bedroom and Sittingroom for two, dining out; attendance; South side; moderate; state terms.—N 1156, this office.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

A FURNISHED Cottage required at Bray for month of July; sea front preferable; state terms, etc.—N 819, this office. 25 A

AT Greystones—Detached, facing sea; 4 bedrooms, Furnished; May-October. Keys, Arthur Jones, Auctioneers, Greystones. 25 A

A NICE two storeyed House for Setting; 4 bedrooms, drawingroom and diningroom, a pantry, scullery, kitchen, and out-offices in keeping. Apply William Eivers, Grange Hall, Mullingar. 26 B

AT Bray—Furnished, Rosedale, Loretto avenue, five rooms, kitchen; £84 year. 27 E

A COMMUNITY in the city are anxious to get a large House, situated in own grounds, with accommodation for 16 persons, for the months of July and August, in the vicinity of Blackrock, Sandycove, Kingstown.—N 1202, this office. 29 B

BRAY—Furnished, to Let, 3 minutes sea, rail; gas cooker, electric light.—31 Duncairn avenue. 26 B

BRAY—Seafield Cottage to Let, Furnished, May and June, or separately 26 B

BALLINAHEESE, Arklow, Co. Wicklow—To be Let, for the summer months, Cottage, bath (h. and c. water); £6 monthly. Apply Mrs. Wolohan. 27 A

COTTAGE, Furnished, to Let at Sutton; also Furnished Apartments.—N 853, this office. 25 A

COTTAGE, Furnished, May, June, July, beautiful situation.—Smith, Clash, Rathdrum. 25 B

DUN Laoghaire (Kingstown)—Good partly Furnished large House (10 rooms, etc.), facing Dublin Bay, to Let by the month. Address "Z 1011, House," this office. 28 X

FURNISHED Cottage and Garden to Let in vicinity of Avoca. Apply M. J. Graham, Ballinacarrig, Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow. 27 A

FURNISHED Cottage to Let, Howth Summit, from May 1st. Address "Z 1024, Cottage," this office.

GREYSTONES (Burnaby Estate)—Comfortably Furnished House to Let for summer months; every modern convenience, telephone, tennis, bathing box.—William P. D'Alton, Avonia, Greystones. 25 A

GREYSTONES, beside sea—Comfortably Furnished Private House, 3 bedrooms, maid's, bath, electric light, to Let, August and September together.—Lonsdale, Kimberley road, Greystones. 26 B

GREYSTONES—Furnished House to Let, from May; 4 bedrooms, maid's, 2 sitting, bath (h. and c.), e.l. Address "Z 985, House," this office. 27 A

HOWTH (South side)—To Let, Furnished, £175, or Unfurnished, £125, by the year, vacant May 15th, Modern House, 2 or 3 sittingrooms, 6 or 7 bedrooms, dressingroom, bath (h. and c.); constant water supply; indoor sanitation; three acres of land; close to tram, telephone, bathing; seen by appointment.—N 953, this office. 26 B

HOWTH—Small House to Let, Furnished; fine position, close tram and train; May, June; moderate.—N 313, this office. 27 C

HOUSE to Let, Furnished, on Esplanade, Bray; eight rooms, electric light, h. and c. bath. Apply at 76 Harcourt street, Dublin. 27 C

HOWTH Hill—Furnished House to Let, May-September; 3 bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen, and pantry. Reply N 1161, this office.

KILCOOL, Greystones—Ballydonerea Lodge, near station, strand; 12 apartments, h.c. bathroom; also Bungalow, 6 apartments; May, Whitsuntide, July, week-ends.

RUSH—Cottage at harbour to Let, Furnished; six apartments; May, June, July.—Kean, St. Patrick's. 27 C

SUTTON—Furnished House, on sea and tram, for summer months; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, croquet. Apply Moyelta. 27 C

SKERRIES—Nice House, detached, 4 bedrooms, diningroom; best side, water, bathing; moderate; May, June, September.—N 1090, this office. 27 A

SEAPOINT—Charming modern Residence to Let, July, August; 4 bedrooms, every convenience, telephone; few minutes station, and tram adjacent; excellent bathing.—N 1080, this office. 27 A

WANTED, Furnished House or Cottage, Bray, July or August.—N 1052, this office. 27 A

WANTED, to Purchase, small House, in Sutton district. Reply, Greene and Co., 11 Nassau street.

WANTED, Cottage, between Kingstown and Killiney, for May; moderate.—N 1125, this office.

APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

BRAY—To Let, Partly Furnished Apartments (permanently); no children; private house.—N 1152, this office.

BRAY—Front Bedroom and Sittingroom to Let for summer months; 3 minutes from sea and rail.—N 1036, this office. 27 C

COURTOWN Harbour, Co. Wexford—Apartments to Let. For terms apply Miss Williams. 29 D

ENNISKERRY—Rooms vacant, from May 10th, with and without attendance.—S. Wogan, Church Hill. 27 C

GREYSTONES—Three large Bedrooms and Sittingroom (well Furnished), and use of kitchen, to Let from 1st May. Apply 2 St. Stephen's. 29 B

KILLINEY—Furnished Flat, detached house, facing sea, summer months; tennis, croquet, garage.—N 842, this office. 25 A

KILLINEY—Catholic ladies or gentlemen requiring rest or change can have Bedrooms, Sittingrooms, attendance, etc.; ideal house and grounds; convenient to church and sea. Address N 991, this office. 26 B

KINGSTOWN—Guests taken in lady's home, refined and comfortable surroundings, moderate.—N 1127, this office. 27 C

LADY wants another to join her in small House. Full particulars to Waller, Post Office, Newcastle (Down). 25 X

MALAHIDE—Comfortable Home for Paying Guests; near rail; golf; suit married couple. Address "Z 900, Home," this office. 25 A

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Blackrock, 16 Acres—A CHOICE RESIDENCE, in beautiful order; delightfully situated, with early possession; large garden, fine paddocks, motor house, gate lodge. Apply to Dockrell Limited.

Dalkey—AT REDUCED PRICE, only £950—Must be Sold—Attractive 2-storeyed House for Sale, with possession; double fronted; perfect order. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Clyde Road vicinity—A well built HOUSE FOR SALE, with possession; two-storeyed, containing 4 reception, 4 bedrooms, dressing room, 2 maids' rooms; 2 bathrooms; motor house, with man's room; good garden, croquet lawn; electric light and gas in house. Ground rent £8 15/-. Price £2,050. Immediate possession. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

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The Premises, in which a large and lucrative trade has been conducted by the Vendor, consists of a very substantial and commodious building, with up-to-date equipment, electric power and light, and a splendid water and sewerage system, and is held for ever at a profit yearly rental of £5 5s. 4½d.

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For further particulars and for Conditions of Sale apply to "Z 1025, Factory," this office.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED

SUTTON—Two Bedrooms, Sittingroom, use of bathroom; attendance; on seashore and convenient to tram, trains, and churches; adults only taken; May, June, July, and August.—N 1027, this office. 27 C

SUTTON, near Howth golf course—Select Rooms, with or without board; sea front; every convenience.—N 306, this office. 27 A

ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, WALES, ISLE OF MAN.

CHELTENHAM—Scottish Lady, having large house and staff of experienced maids, offers Rooms and Board to one or two families giving up housekeeping; central heating, electric light, large garden, tennis and croquet.—Redesdale, The Park. 12 19

HOLYHEAD—Apartments, with cooking and attendance, bath (h. and c.), modern conveniences; near sea.—Roberts, Mona House. 25 A

HOLYHEAD—Comfortable Apartments for visitors; reasonable terms.—Roberts, 18 Maeshyfryd road, Holyhead. 25 A

HOLYHEAD—Furnished House, summer months; 5 bedrooms, 2 sittingrooms, bath (h. and c.).—Davies, Fensaler. 26 B

SUPERIOR Apartments, one minute sea; moderate terms.—Lynch, "Ormonde," Sandringham avenue, Rhyl, N. Wales. 28 D

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SEE ALSO EACH SECTION.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

AT Sharpley's, Baby Linen Specialists—Ladies invited write for Catalogue Baby Linen, Accouchement, Nursery Requisites.—Nassau street, Lower Camden street, Dublin. T

AT Bradley's—Children's Black or Brown Flexible Welted Soles Lace Shoes, size 3 to 6 5/11, 7 to 10 6/11, postage paid. Write for special Children's list. 29 D

AT Bradley's—Children's Black, Brown, or White 1-Bar Welted Slippers, flexible soles, nature form lasts, size 3's to 6's 5/6, 7 to 8 5/11, 9 to 10 6/11. 29 D

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CHILDREN'S Black or Brown Lace or Button Flexible Welted Soled Boots, sizes 3 to 6 6/11, 7 to 8 7/11, 9 to 10 8/11.—At Bradley's Boot Shop. 29 D

CHILDREN'S Black, Glace Kid Gibson Lace Shoes, patent toe cap, easy fitting, sizes 9 to 10 10/6, 11 to 1's 12/6; misses', sizes 2 to 5's 13/11, postage paid.—At Bradley's Boot Shop, Nassau street. Write for special children's list, post free. 29 D

CHILDREN'S White Canvas Lace Shoes, nature form, leather soles, sizes 7's, 8's, 9's, 10's, 11's, 12's, 13's and 1's 3/11 per pair; Maid's, sizes 2 to 5 4/11.—At Bradley's Boot Shop, 23 Nassau street. Write for children's special list, post free. 29 D

CHILDREN'S White Canvas 1-Bar Welted Slippers, flexible soles, to fit from three years to ten years of age, all one price, 2/11 per pair.—At Bradley's Boot Shop. 29 D

EVANS, 87 Morehampton road, Donnybrook—Unrivalled value and variety in Children's Socks; splendid quality, durable, pretty Washing Frocks at 2/11, 16 to 22 inches. 26 B

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MELLON'S Complexion Tablets completely eradicate boils; pimples, blackheads, and all skin troubles; give skin soft and youthful appearance; price, 2/6 bottle, post free.—Mellon, Chemist, Dame st., Dublin. 23 X

RESPECTABLE Woman wishes take Child to Nurse, or terms; confidence respected. Address "Z 918, Adoption," this office. 8 26

SHODDY price and shoddy quality go together—You have found that out, haven't you? Shoddy price means shoddy cloth, shoddy linings, shoddy tailoring, shoddy wear, shoddy appearance. A little extra money makes such a difference—Better cloth, better trimmings, better tailoring, nicer finish, extra wear, stylish appearance. See the nice finish, style, quality of our latest Spring Garments. It's an education in values. By judicious management we have greatly lowered the price without reducing the quality.—Leyburne Murphy, Expert Clothing Factor, Exchequer street. 27 C

TWO young Ladies require Tennis Lessons, South side, teacher's court; state terms.—N 1116, this office.

250 PAIRS Men's, Women's, Children's Boots, Shoes, some cost 30/-; clearing lot 5/-; retiring; giving up possession.—Ritchie, Cavan. 27 C

3/11 PER Pair, postage paid—Ladies' Black Poplin 1-Bar Ward Shoe, silent low heels, every size, 3 to 8.—At Bradley's Boot Shop, 23 Nassau street. 29 D

4/11 PER Pair—Ladies' Black Poplin Court Shoes, with tongue and oval self covered slide, round toes, Cuban heels, sizes 3's to 8's, postage paid.—Bradley's. 29 D

5/6 PER Pair at Bradley's—Ladies' White Canvas 3-Bar Shoe, round toes, Cuban heels, flexible soles, all sizes.—At Bradley's, 23 Nassau street. 29 D

8/11 PER Pair, postage paid, at Bradley's—Ladies' best quality White Canvas Gibson Shoes, Cuban heels, round toes, no toe caps, every size and half size, 2's to 8's.—Bradley's Boot Shop, Nassau street. 29 D

14/11 PER Pair, at Bradley's—Ladies' Nigger Brown Glace Kid, Gibson shoes, short vamp, round American toes, Cuban heels, welted soles, sizes and half sizes 2 to 8's.—Bradley's Boot Shop, Nassau street. 29 D

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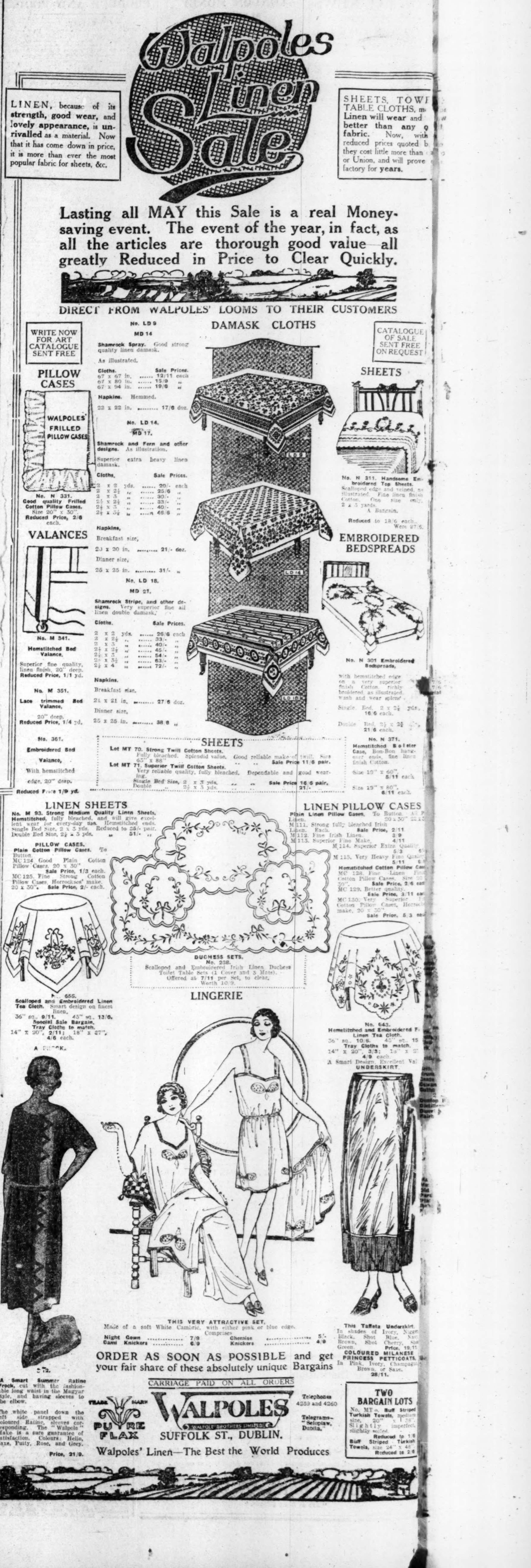

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